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The Acting Attorney General

January 9, 1967

Director, FBI

1 - Mr. DeLoach
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ELLIOT PAUL PRICE

ELECTRONIC SURVEILLANCE IN ORGANIZED CRIME CASES

JUNE

Contacted W. P. Bates "June" mail to be charged to 92-6692. Via Compton

In accordance with the request in the memorandum of Mr. Fred M. Vinson, Jr., dated November 23, 1966, you were advised by letter dated December 12, 1966, that Price was either subject to an electronic surveillance or was monitored by an electronic surveillance device used by the FBI, and that information on this matter would be forwarded to you.

Although Price was not the subject of an electronic surveillance by this Bureau, he participated in nine conversations in 1964 and 1965, which were monitored by an electronic eavesdropping device. The microphone coverage in question was monitored on the residence of Frank Rosenthal at 2123 Northeast 122nd Street, Miami, Florida, from July 7, 1964, to July 12, 1965. Trespass was involved in its installation. On a memorandum dated April 12, 1965, former Attorney General Nicholas deB. Katzenbach approved continuation of this microphone surveillance.

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None of the information obtained from this surveillance was included in any reports, and none of this information was communicated in any manner to the Internal Revenue Service.

It is suggested that inquiry be made of other Federal investigative agencies to determine if Price has been subjected to electronic surveillance by any of them.

Copies of the logs recording the monitored conversations in which Price participated are attached for your review.

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Enclosures (9)

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1 - The Deputy Attorney General

1 - Mr. Fred M. Vinson, Jr.
Assistant Attorney General

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NOTE: Price's name was submitted to the Bureau by the Department in accordance with the Department's program to check names of individuals under prosecution or being considered for prosecution to determine if they were involved in any electronic surveillance conducted by this Bureau. Several lists of such names have been recently submitted by the Department and Price's name was included on a list of 237 individuals, which has required voluminous research by many field offices to abstract the necessary data for a complete answer to the Department.

The logs are being forwarded to the Department as an attachment to this letter since they consist of ~~any~~ a small number of pages. They will be hand-delivered for security purposes.

The Acting Attorney General

January 6, 1967

Director, FBI

1 - Mr. DeLoach
1 - Mr. Gale
1 - Mr. McAndrews
1 - Mr. [redacted]

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JOSEPH FRANCIS NESLINE
ELECTRONIC SURVEILLANCE IN
ORGANIZED CRIME CASES

In accordance with the request in the memorandum of Mr. Fred M. Vinson, Jr., dated November 23, 1966, you were advised by letter dated December 12, 1966, that Nesline was either subject to an electronic surveillance or was monitored by an electronic surveillance device by the FBI and that information on this matter would be forwarded to you.

Although Nesline was not the subject of an electronic surveillance, he participated in several conversations which were monitored by an electronic eavesdropping device. The microphone coverage in question was maintained on the residence of Frank Rosenthal at 2123 Northeast 122nd Street, Miami, Florida, from July 7, 1964, to July 12, 1965. Trespass was involved in its installation. On a memorandum dated April 12, 1965, former Attorney General Nicholas deB. Katzenbach approved the continuation of this microphone surveillance.

Some of the information obtained from this electronic surveillance on March 5, 1965, was summarized in the report of Special Agent [redacted] dated March 15, 1965, at Washington, D. C., captioned "Joseph Francis Nesline; Unknown Wire Service; Anti-Racketeering, Interstate Gambling Activities - Wire Service," and appears on page 3 under the symbol WF T - 170.

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Information furnished by this surveillance on April 12, 1965, was included in the report of Special Agent [redacted] dated May 17, 1965, at Washington, D. C., under the same caption as above and appears on page 1 under the symbol WF T - 170.

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The Acting Attorney General

The other information obtained from this surveillance concerning Nesline has not been included in any reports. None of this information has been communicated in any manner to the Internal Revenue Service.

It is suggested that inquiry be made of other Federal investigative agencies to determine if Nesline has been subjected to electronic surveillances by any of them.

Copies of the logs recording the microphone conversations in which Nesline participated are attached for your review.

Enclosures (13)

1 - The Deputy Attorney General

1 - Mr. Fred M. Vinson, Jr.
Assistant Attorney General

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

Thomas J. McAndrews
Federal Bureau of Investigation

DATE: November 23, 1966

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Department of Justice

RECEIPT - LOGS

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This is to acknowledge receipt of copies of 21 logs consisting of 85 pages, pertaining to Joseph F. Nesline bearing the following dates:

1. 6/9/65 (3 pages)
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3. 6/2/65 (1 page)
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5. 5/20/65 (5 pages)
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16. 12/28/64 (7 pages)
17. 12/25/64 (6 pages)
18. 12/19/64 (3 pages)
19. 11/17/64 (6 pages)
20. 11/8/64 (6 pages)
21. 10/26/64 (15 pages)

November 23, 1966

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Frank Leroy "Tuffy" Rosenthal 165-5[illegible]
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Joseph F Nesline 92-3000

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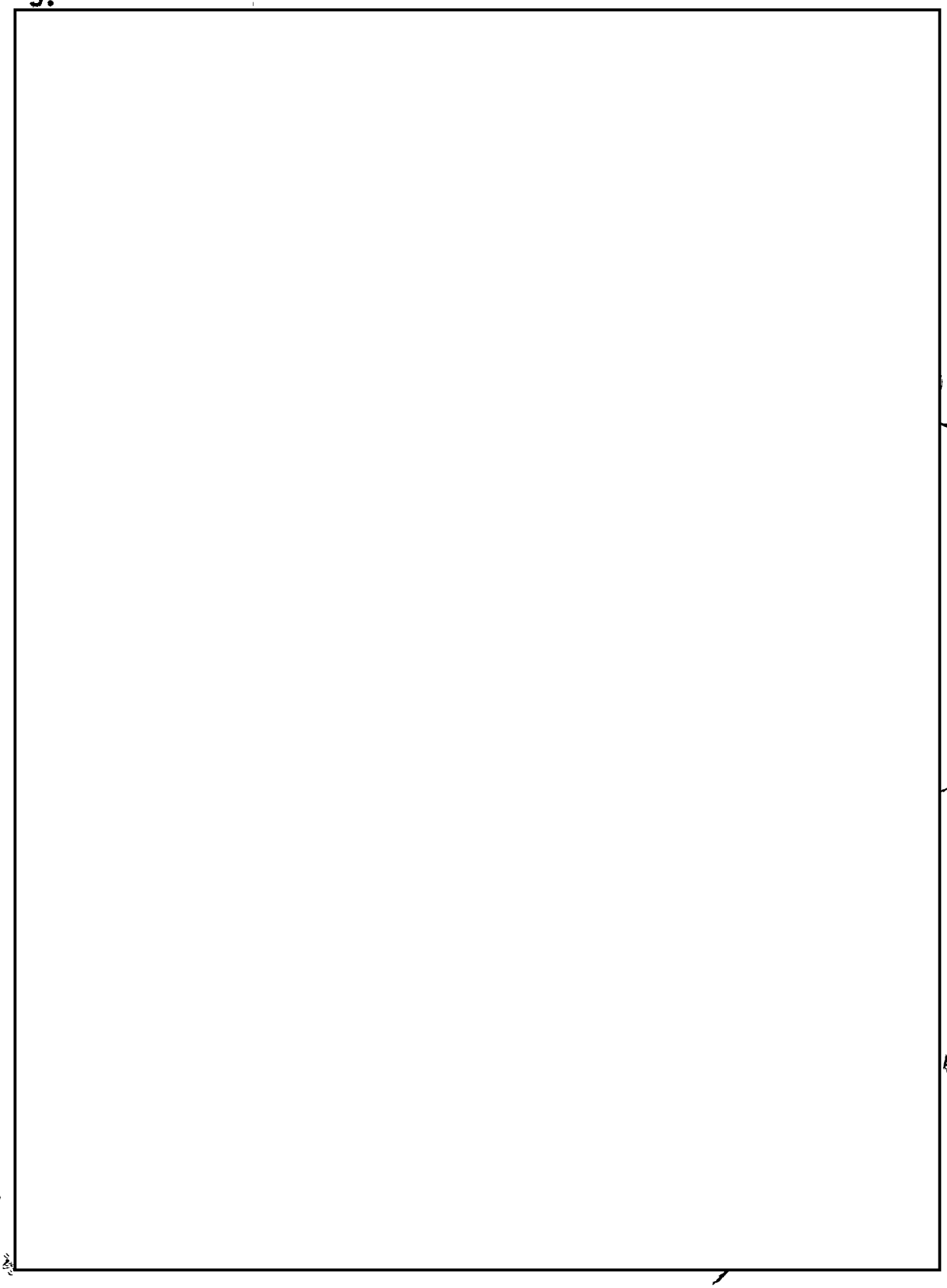

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The above records are confidential and can only be through the issuance of a subpoena duces tecum. poena should be directed to [redacted]

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to File No.

Miami, Florida
November 12, 1965

Title FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL, aka

Character ANTI-RACKETEERING;
INTERSTATE GAMBLING ACTIVITIES

Reference is made to report of SA [redacted] dated and captioned as above at Miami, Florida.

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All sources (except any listed below) whose identities are concealed in referenced communication have furnished reliable information in the past.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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Miami, Florida
November 12, 1965

Re: FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL
ANTI-RACKETEERING;
INTERSTATE GAMBLING ACTIVITIES

Reference is made to the report of Special Agent [redacted] dated and captioned as above, at Miami. b6 b7C

The following is a characterization of the informants utilized in referenced report:

MM T-1 is an individual who is acquainted with gambling activities in the Miami area.

MM T-2 is an individual who is acquainted with certain members of the gambling and hoodlum element in the Miami area.

MM T-3 is an individual familiar with gamblers and bookmakers on a nationwide basis.

MM T-4 is an individual who is familiar with gambling activities on a nationwide basis.

MM T-5 is an individual who is acquainted with certain members of the gambling and hoodlum element.

MM T-6 is an individual who, because of his former employment, has knowledge of nationwide gambling activities.

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REPORTING OFFICE	OFFICE OF ORIGIN	DATE	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD
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TITLE OF CASE

FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL, aka.

REPORT MADE BY [redacted] TYPED BY jgm

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Report of SA [redacted] dated 11/12/65, at Miami.
New Orleans letter to Miami, dated 11/8/65.
Atlanta letter to Miami, dated 11/9/65.
Report of SA [redacted] dated 12/2/65, 92-3314-35 at Miami, captioned "FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL, aka., ET AL, ITWI" OO:Miami.

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To the Bureau: (2) An original and one copy of a letterhead memorandum characterizing informants utilized in this report.

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Case pending over one year - Yes;
Case pending prosecution over 6 months - No.

APPROVED SPECIAL AGENT IN CHARGE [redacted]

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AT MIAMI, FLORIDA

Will continue investigation regarding activities of subject and associates.

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The period of this report is in excess of 60 days inasmuch as investigation from auxiliary office was not received prior to submission of last report.

Information concerning telephone number [redacted] obtained from [redacted] (protect), [redacted] Little River, Florida. b6 b7C b7D

Information concerning the arrest of subject on 11/28/65 covered in report of SA [redacted] captioned "FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL, aka., ET AL, ITWI" 00:Miami (Bufile 165-1344).

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Copy to: 1 - USA, Miami, Florida

Report of: [redacted] Office: Miami, Florida b6 b7C
Date: December 21, 1965

Field Office File #: 92-726 Bureau File #: 92-6692

Title: FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL

Character: ANTI-RACKETEERING;
INTERSTATE GAMBLING ACTIVITIES

Synopsis: ROSENTHAL resides 2123 NE 122nd St., Miami, Fla. ROSENTHAL observed with JOSEPH NESLINE and MORTON KANE at local FLA. sporting events. Subject works under guise of sports consultant for Multiple Sports News Service. Article re MSNS appearing in "Miami Herald" on 11/19/65 set out. ROSENTHAL arrested 11/28/65 for violation of ITWI & ITAR Statutes. Article re arrest dated 11/29/65 set forth. Source advised on 12/1/65 ROSENTHAL in conference with DAVID YARAS and MICHAEL COPPOLA. Source stated on 12/6/65 subject continues to be large bettor, but not known as bookmaker. He also advised ROSENTHAL real operator of MSNS. Subject convicted 11/24/65 and sentenced to jail and fine for driving while license was under suspension.

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DETAILS:

AT MIAMI, FLORIDA

Background Information

FRANK ROSENTHAL lives with [redacted] at 2123 NE 122nd Street, Miami, Florida.

ROSENTHAL is currently driving a 1964 light blue Oldsmobile, bearing 1965 Florida license 1W-86111.

On November 20, 1965, subject [redacted] were observed in a 1966 black Oldsmobile, bearing 1965 Florida license 1W-184735.

Check of appropriate records with the Dade County Tag Agency reflect above license registered to FRANK L. ROSENTHAL, 2123 NE 122nd Street. b6 b7C

General Activities

On November 4, 1965, [redacted] State of Florida Attorney General's Office, Miami, stated that he observed HERBERT ANGEL conversing with FRANK ROSENTHAL in the parking lot of the Morton Building, 1090 NE 79th Street.

On November 11, 1965, FRANK ROSENTHAL and [redacted] were observed in the company of MORTON PAUL KANE and wife, and JOSEPH NESLINE and [redacted] attending the Coral Gables vs. Miami High School Football Game played at the Orange Bowl.

On November 19, 1965, MM T-1 advised SA ROBERT F. FETZNER that the following telephone calls were made by FRANK "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL at Multiple Sports News Service:

9/3/65 - Petham, N.Y. Area Code 194 PE8-2070
9/4/65 - Millbrook, N.Y. Area Code 194 OR 5584
9/14/65 - New York City Area Code 212 CI 7-8300

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On November 22, 1965, FRANK ROSENTHAL [redacted] were observed at the Miami Beach Auditorium attending the closed circuit TV of the CASSIUS CLAY vs. FLOYD PATTERSON heavy-weight fight. Accompanying them were MORTON KANE and wife and JOSEPH NESLINE and [redacted] [redacted]

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Business Interests

ROSENTHAL, under the guise of a sports consultant, operates Municipal Sports News Service (MSNS), 1090 NE 79th Street, Room 112, Miami, Florida.

In connection with the operation of MSNS, the following article, captioned "National Mob Muscles in on Miami Sports" appeared in the "Miami Herald" on November 19, 1965.

"If you're placing wagers on Saturday's football action through a cheerful neighborhood bookie, the odds are that your dollars will support the national crime syndicate. This story, one in a series, reveals that a Miami operation is a vital link in the huge gambling rackets.

"A Miami business linked to the national Mafia provides betting information for multi-million-dollar illegal gambling through much of the U.S.

"The underworld enterprise is Multiple Sports News Service.

"Sports fixer FRANK (LEFTY)ROSENTHAL runs the bookie service. Financing comes through mobsters such as 'Trigger Mike' COPPOLA, a high-level Mafia member, and DAVID YARAS, a former Chicago gangland figure.

"From Suite 112 in a modern building at 1080 NE 79th Street, the sportsmen pick the favorites and set point-spreads for the nation's $13-billion football wagering rackets.

"The gangster-controlled service publishes 'weekly schedules' you can pick up at newsstands for a quarter each.

"The gentlemen gamblers (a false image they work hard to project) are the people who decide what team is favored to win a ballgame. They decide the initial point spreads called 'the line'.

"Convicted basketball fixer ROSENTHAL, 36, whose pals range from diamond fancier JOHN CLARENCE COOK to Mafia tough-guy CHARLEY (The Blade) TOURINE, came out of Chicago where he got his start with the still-active Angel-Kaplan gambling service.

"There also are two odds-making services in Los Angeles and one in Texas.

"The five services, in close communication with one another, come out frequently with similar point spreads.

"Gamblers who subscribe to Miami's service get the 'opening line' of favorites each Sunday evening for the following Saturday's college football action. Point spreads for the pro games are available on Mondays.

"Through the week the key bookies continually contact Multiple Sports. (PLaza 4-0637) to learn the latest changes in odds.

"Point spreads change according to the amount of money bet on particular teams. Another factor is the physical condition of the football players.

"Big-time gamblers pay representatives on campuses across the land to inform the bookie services about any developments that could affect a game.

"The 25-cent 'weekly schedule' provides a common tool for betting on football games.

"At first glance, the schedule looks like no bargain.

"What you get for your quarter is nothing but a list of scheduled games.

"The same information - and much more - is available through the news media and in countless sports magazines.

"But look again at the schedule.

"Each team is assigned a number.

"With gamblers on each end of a telephone referring to the same lineup, it's a snap to jot down the point spreads. It's not even necessary to mention team names.

"When you buy the schedules in volume, the price drops. One-hundred or more cost 12 cents apiece.

"Although the schedule boasts of its accuracy, this week's listing of pro games has Cleveland playing in both Detroit and Dallas on Sunday. (Chicago plays at Detroit).

"In the summer baseball is king.

"The front page advertises the coming basketball schedules, starting with collegiate action Dec. 1.

"In the summer, of course, it's baseball.

"Football is the thing, however.

"Gambling experts figure the total wagering on football, all illegal, is roughly equal to all other sports betting combined and is a near $2 billion above the nation's horse racing handle.

"Thousands of the special schedules are distributed each week through bookmakers, many of whom pass along their data to still other bookies, and so on.

"Subscribing to the Multiple Sports News Service costs $30 a week if you simply want to receive fast results of sports events.

"To also receive the odds and daily point spreads, it costs $40 and up, depending on the size of your operation.

"ROSENTHAL established Multiple Sports News Service in early 1963. The service soon was taking in more than $1,000 a week. Business has grown steadily.

"The title of president is held by SAM SOLOMON GREEN, 52, an ex-cabbie convicted by federal authorities for cheating on his GI Bill benefits.

"GREEN also has been arrested on charges of bookmaking, violating beverage laws and showing dirty movies. None of these three charges brought convictions.

"COPPOLA's record goes way back.

"Trigger MIKE COPPOLA, a resident for years on Miami Beach, has been a key organizer of sports gambling for the underworld.

"His arrests, dating back to 1914, have been for unsportsmanlike conduct, to wit: Murder (several times) felonious assault, robbery, burglary, grand larceny, narcotics traffic and pickpocket.

"COPPOLA, 65, has been in and out of jails over the decades and most recently served a one-year stint (1962) at the federal prison in Tallahassee for income tax evasion.

"The next year, the Senate Crime Committee probed into Trigger MIKE's career as part of its organized crime hearings.

"On Sept. 27, 1963, New York City Detective RALPH SALERNO testified that COPPOLA was known as a killer who carried out Mafia death contracts.

"YARAS, another Multiple Sports backer, came to Miami Beach from Chicago in the late 40s.

"Part of the mob's task in those post-war years was snuffing out independent bookie service operators. One was Chicago's JAMES RAGEN. He refused to merge.

"RAGEN had two bodyguards but his shoulder was ripped apart by a shotgun blast anyway. Later he was fatally poisoned while under police guard.

"Officer on case killed by shotgun.

"YARAS was indicted but one witness who identified him met a violent end while the case was pending. Two other witnesses forgot what they had seen.

"Later, a policeman investigating YARAS was chopped apart by four shotgun blasts in his own garage.

"YARAS lives at 4410 Adams Ave., Miami Beach.

"ROSENTHAL, aside from his history of fixing athletic events, has been called a "human pari-mutuel machine' with an encyclopedic mind for evaluating team skills.

"Many legitimate sportsmen have sought his opinions.

"When his apartment here was raided Dec. 31, 1960, then North Bay Village Police Chief MARTIN DARDIS answered an Indiana newspaper writer who asked:

"'What are you going to make the East-West (Shrine football) game, LEFTY?'

"DARDIS later testified before the Senate Crime Committee that LEFTY was most unhappy about interference from the law. 'He said he couldn't understand it because he had been paying off $500 a month,' DARDIS testified.

"No charges against LEFTY were filed.

"He was, however, banned from race tracks by the Florida State Racing Commission. He sold his prize stable of horses.

"ROSENTHAL tied to fix scheme.

"In 1961, ROSENTHAL was linked by Senate probers to the attempted fix of an Oregon football game.

"Also uncovered was a try to rig the Florida-Florida State game scheduled the same day.

"Although ROSENTHAL wasn't named in the Florida attempt, Senate probers were told that both approaches were part of an organized underworld scheme.

"In March, 1962, after lengthy hearings, the Senate Crime Committee issued a blistering attack on organized gambling, citing profits of 50 billion dollars a year to the underworld.

"Senate probers, naming ROSENTHAL as one of the nation's four key suppliers of gambling information, urged that the bookie lifelines be snipped. The committee also urged vigorous prosecution of LEFTY in the Oregon football case. (There never was.)

"That same month a grand jury in Charlotte, N.C., indicted ROSENTHAL for fixing an NCAA basketball game.

"And in May, 1962, a New York indictment named ROSENTHAL as a co-conspirator (but didn't charge him) in the rigging of 25 basketball games involving 12 colleges over a three-year period.

"It took 21 months to extradite ROSENTHAL from Miami to Charlotte for the prosecution there.

"Finally, on Dec. 6, 1963, ROSENTHAL appeared in court and suddenly switched his plea to no contest.

"He pays fine, escapes prison.

"The Charlotte judge said he saw no reason to put ROSENTHAL in prison. ROSENTHAL paid a $6,000 fine and went about his business. No probation period was imposed.

"One dark night a year ago on Miami Beach, ROSENTHAL was picked up by police outside an apartment building. LEFTY was with RICHARD DUNCAN PEARSON, accused playboy thief, and GERALD (Ding Dong) CARUSIELLO, now serving 75 years for robbery. They were booked on vagrancy charges.

"LEFTY explained that he was looking for a girl friend. No convictions resulted.

"More recently, LEFTY was quizzed by federal authorities who were looking for the DeLong Ruby.

"Presumably, LEFTY had little to say.

"When asked by Senate probers about his gambling activities, he even refused to reveal whether he might really be right-handed."

MM 92-726

Arrests of FRANK ROSENTHAL and SAMUEL GREEN, November 28, 1965

On November 28, 1965, FRANK ROSENTHAL and SAMUEL GREEN were arrested by Agents of the Miami Office on violation of Interstate Transmission of Wagering Information and Interstate Transportation in Aid of Racketeering Statutes.

MM 92-726

The following article captioned "FBI Raiders Seize 5 in Gambling Crackdown", appeared in the "Miami Herald" November 29, 1965:

On December 1, 1965, MM T-2 advised SA RALPH R. HILL that DAVID YARAS made [redacted] from Chicago to Miami [redacted] and was observed at the Bayshore Club, Miami Beach, Florida, on November 28&29, 1965. b6 b7C b7D

On both occasions YARAS, according to source, was in conference with FRANK "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL and MICHAEL COPPOLA. Source advised that the purpose of these conferences was to [redacted] connection with Multiple Sports News Service (MSNS) and the anticipated removal of phone service at this business by the Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Company.

On December 6, 1965, MM T-3 advised SA WILLIAM F. HEIST and SA [redacted] that ROSENTHAL continues to be a large bettor of sporting events although is not known as a bookmaker at the present time. He stated that it was common knowledge ROSENTHAL is the real operator of MSNS and, according to source, was quite disturbed over his arrest on November 28, 1965, by Bureau Agents and the subsequent seizure of records at the "Service".

Federal Trial - RICHARD DUNCAN PEARSON - Interstate Transportation of Stolen Property

On December 10, 1965, FRANK ROSENTHAL appeared in Federal Court as a witness on behalf of the defendant RICHARD DUNCAN PEARSON in regards to the trial involving the DeLong Ruby.

ROSENTHAL, in his testimony concerning the DeLong Ruby, stated that he was approached by freelance writer [redacted] in an attempt by [redacted] to act as an intermediary in the return of the DeLong Ruby. ROSENTHAL stated that this meeting took place in the office of Multiple Sports News Service and at this meeting were associates SAMUEL GREEN and SIDNEY ROSENTHAL. b6 b7C

ROSENTHAL told the court that he was leery of [redacted] proposition as to possible remuneration he might receive for helping in the return of the DeLong Ruby.

Thereafter he testified that he had occasion to visit at his home with RICHARD PEARSON at which time PEARSON had told him of his involvement with [redacted] and the return of the ruby. ROSENTHAL stated that PEARSON is a friend of his and because of this friendship he offered him advice concerning this relationship with [redacted]

ROSENTHAL, in his testimony, emphatically denied having anything himself to do with the ruby or ever seeing the gem.

Local Prosecution

On November 24, 1965, FRANK ROSENTHAL was convicted of driving an auto while his license was under suspension. Metro Judge FREDERICK BARAD sentenced ROSENTHAL to 10 days in jail and fined $100.00. ROSENTHAL appealed this sentence and is presently out on $750.00 appeal bond.

Associates

JOSEPH NESLINE

On December 13, 1965, NESLINE was observed at the residence of [redacted] Miami.

Investigation reflects that during the months of November and through the early part of December, 1965, NESLINE has been staying at the International Inn, Washington, D. C., in view of pending prosecution in the District of Columbia.

SIDNEY ROSENTHAL

AT ATLANTA, GEORGIA

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The following investigation was conducted by SA JOHN P. GRANFIELD on October 28, 1965:

[redacted] Playboy Club, Dinkler Plaza, who has been so employed for the past 9 weeks and [redacted] Playboy, Inc. and who is [redacted] the Playboy Club of Atlanta, advised that neither subject nor SIDNEY ROSENTHAL are known to them and that SIDNEY ROSENTHAL is not employed nor has he been employed at the Atlanta Playboy Club.

[redacted] Atlanta Playboy Club, advised that he has been so employed since the club opened nine months ago. He advised that he knows SIDNEY ROSENTHAL, having worked for SIDNEY ROSENTHAL at the Peppermint Lounge in Miami, Florida in 1962 for a period of about five months. He added that SIDNEY ROSENTHAL, to his knowledge, has never made application for nor has been employed by the Atlanta Playboy Club. [redacted] advised, however, that SIDNEY ROSENTHAL has [redacted] of age, and who is now living in Atlanta, address or employment not known to [redacted]

[redacted] advised further that he knows the subject "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL and that he last saw "LEFTY" in about 1961. He added that he has no information as to "LEFTY's" being in Atlanta or attempting to move into this area.

AT NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA

On October 9, 1965, MM T-4 advised that he knew of no local gamblers who were going to attend the Louisiana University vs. University of Miami football game to be played at Miami, Florida.

Telephone Contacts

It has previously been reported that ROSENTHAL is the subscriber to telephone number 758-5559. Long distance calls charged to this number are presently unavailable.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to File No.

Miami, Florida

December 21, 1965

Title FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL

Character ANTI-RACKETEERING; INTERSTATE GAMBLING ACTIVITIES

Reference Report of SA [redacted] b6 b7C dated and captioned as above, at Miami.

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December 21, 1965

RE: FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL
ANTI-RACKETEERING;
INTERSTATE GAMBLING ACTIVITIES

Reference is made to the report of Special Agent [redacted] dated and captioned as above, at Miami. b6 b7C

The following is a characterization of the informants utilized in referenced report:

MM T-1 is a businessman in contact with criminals in the Miami area.

MM T-2 is an individual whose employment allows him to report on the activities of MIKE COPPOLA and DAVID YARAS.

MM T-3 is an individual who has a wide knowledge of bolita operations and general gambling activities in the Miami area.

MM T-4 is an individual familiar with gamblers and bookmakers on a nation-wide basis.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

REPORTING OFFICE	OFFICE OF ORIGIN	DATE	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD
MIAMI	MIAMI	JAN 20 1966	11/24/65 - 1/8/66

TITLE OF CASE

FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL,
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REPORT MADE BY [redacted] TYPED BY rm

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REFERENCE

Report of SA [redacted] at Miami, dated 12/21/65, sent 6

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ENCLOSURES

TO BUREAU (2)

An original and one copy of a letterhead memorandum characterizing informants utilized in this report.

LEADS

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Case pending over 1 year - Yes

Case pending prosecution over 6 months - No

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At Miami, Florida:

Will follow activities of subject.

ADMINISTRATIVE

Information concerning telephone [redacted] was obtained from [redacted] (protect), [redacted] Little River, Florida. b6 b7C b7D

INFORMANTS

MM T-1 is [redacted]

MM T-2 is b7D

MM T-3 is

MM T-4 is

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Copy to: 1 - USA, Miami, Florida

Report of: [redacted] Office: Miami, Florida
Date: JAN 20 1966

Field Office File #: 92-726 Bureau File #: 92-6692

Title: FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL

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Character: ANTI-RACKETEERING;
INTERSTATE GAMBLING ACTIVITIES

Synopsis:

FRANK ROSENTHAL resides 2123 Northeast 122nd Street, Miami, Fla. Source advised SAM GREEN and ROSENTHAL, operators of MSNS, are again in operation. On 12/14/65, subject attempted to locate ANTHONY SALERNO at Sea Gull Hotel, Miami Beach, Fla. Subject observed with [redacted] [redacted] RUBY LAZARUS, and MORTON KANE at local sporting events. On 1/8/66, ROSENTHAL and JOSEPH NESLINE questioned by North Miami PD. Subject's telephone numbers appeared in records seized at residence of GILBERT BECKLEY and KENNETH HANNA. Long distance calls set forth.

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DETAILS:

At North Miami, Florida:

Background Information

FRANK ROSENTHAL lives with [redacted] at 2123 Northeast 122nd Street, Miami, Florida. b6 b7C

ROSENTHAL drives a 1964 light blue Oldsmobile, bearing 1965 Florida license 1W-86111, or a 1966 black Oldsmobile, bearing 1965 Florida license 1W-184735. Both these vehicles are registered to ROSENTHAL at the above address.

General Activities

On November 24, 1965, MM T-1 advised SA ROBERT F. FETZNER that FRANK ROSENTHAL spends a considerable amount of time at the Golden Nugget Motel. Source also heard that ROSENTHAL recently received a ten-day jail sentence for driving an automobile while his driver's license was under suspension. The judge, he understands, also recommended ROSENTHAL's license be suspended for a year.

On December 2, 1965, MM T-1 advised that FRANK ROSENTHAL is extremely worried over the publicity he is receiving and is of the opinion he will some day receive a jail sentence.

Source received information that Multiple Sports News Service, operated by SAM GREEN and ROSENTHAL, was again in operation on November 29, 1965.

On December 7, 1965, MM T-2 advised SA ROBERT F. FETZNER that [redacted] has recently been utilizing [redacted] the Beaux Garden Apartments, North Bay Village, Florida, for a bolita counting house. Source advised that [redacted] of gambling figure FRANK "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL. b6 b7C b7D

On December 16, 1965, MM T-1 advised that as of [redacted] 1965, the bookmakers were still getting the line from Multiple Sports News Service. Source heard that ROSENTHAL was attempting to get an injunction in order that he could maintain telephone service at the service address. b7D

According to source, ROSENTHAL, on [redacted] 1965, arrived at the Sea Gull Hotel, Miami Beach, and was seeking the whereabouts of ANTHONY SALERNO. He allegedly wanted to ask SALERNO to [redacted] When he could not locate SALERNO, he asked RUBY LAZARUS to help him or to pass the word along to SALERNO.

On December 18, 1965, FRANK ROSENTHAL was observed in the company of [redacted] and RUBY LAZARUS at the University of Miami vs. Ohio University basketball game held at Miami Beach Convention Hall, Miami Beach, Florida. b6 b7C

On December 27, 1965, FRANK ROSENTHAL was observed in the company of MORTON KANE and [redacted] at the Hurricane Basketball Classic held at the Miami Beach Convention Hall, Miami Beach, Florida.

On January 2, 1966, FRANK ROSENTHAL and [redacted] were observed at a National Basketball Association contest between the Detroit Pistons and the San Francisco Warriors played at Miami Beach Auditorium, Miami Beach, Florida.

On January 2, 1966, MM T-3 advised SA ROBERT F. FETZNER that he heard that the bookmakers no longer get wire information service from FRANK "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL but that some big bookmaker gets the service from the East, and other bookmakers get it from this individual.

On January 4, 1966, MM T-4 advised that the opening line put out by FRANK ROSENTHAL for the Dallas vs. Baltimore National Football League runner-up game was favor-

ing Baltimore by 1 point. Source advised that the bookmakers quickly disregarded this point spread and made Dallas a 3 to 4-point favorite. He stated it is his opinion that ROSENTHAL, on numerous occasions, put out an incorrect line in order to make some fast money.

Associates

JOSEPH NESLINE

On January 8, 1966, FRANK ROSENTHAL and JOSEPH NESLINE were questioned by the North Miami Police Department at the address of NESLINE [redacted] who resides at [redacted]

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NESLINE, upon initial contact with the police officers, failed to identify himself, although after a few moments of conversation stated he was JOE NESLINE.

Search Warrants Executed January 8, 1966 -
MORTON PAUL KANE, GILBERT LEE BECKLEY, and KENNETH HANNA

1. MORTON KANE

During the search of KANE's residence at 2160 Northeast 122nd Road, ROSENTHAL made numerous phone calls to the residence of KANE inquiring about his whereabouts.

2. GILBERT LEE BECKLEY

During the search of BECKLEY's apartment residence, records were seized which indicated the telephone number of FRANK ROSENTHAL.

3. KENNETH HANNA

During the search of HANNA's residence, a customer list was seized which indicated under the caption "Service" the home telephone numbers of FRANK ROSENTHAL and SAMUEL GREEN.

[redacted] Contacts

It has been previously reported that ROSENTHAL

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date January 14, 1966

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On 1/4/66 at Miami, Florida File# Miami 92-726

by IC [redacted] :rm Date dictated 1/10/66

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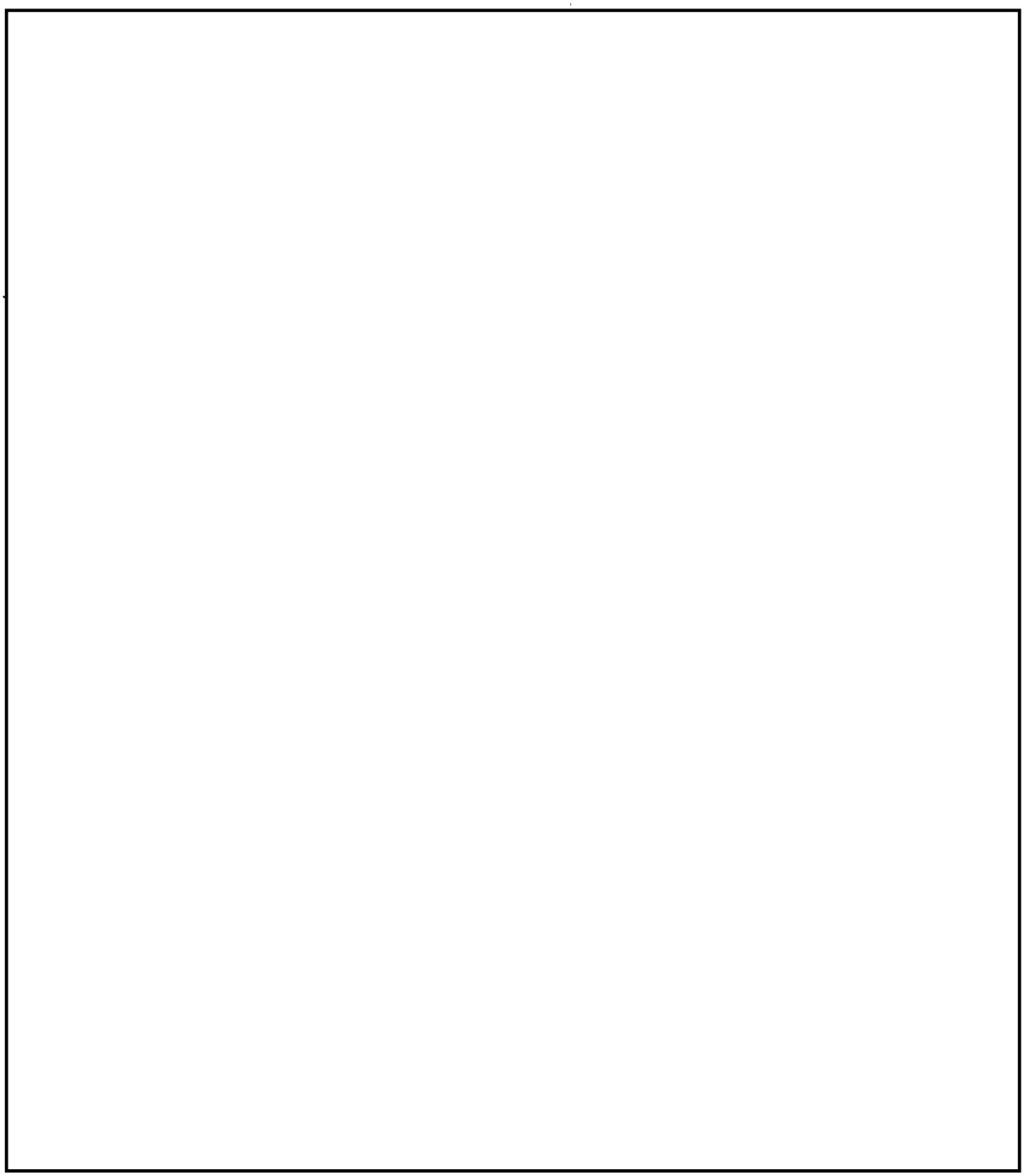

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In Reply, Please Refer to File No.

Miami, Florida

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Title FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL

Character ANTI-RACKETEERING;
INTERSTATE GAMBLING ACTIVITIES

Reference

Report of Special Agent [redacted] dated and captioned as above, at Miami.

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MM T-2 is an individual who has knowledge of the activities of criminals in the Miami area.

MM T-3 is a businessman who, on various occasions, comes into contact with the criminal element in the Miami area.

MM T-4 is an individual who is in close contact with Miami gambling figures.

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Miami, Florida
February 10, 1966

Title FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL

Character ANTI-RACKETEERING;
INTERSTATE GAMBLING ACTIVITIES

Reference Report of Special Agent [redacted] b6 b7C
[redacted] dated and captioned as above at Miami, Florida.

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REPORTING OFFICE	OFFICE OF ORIGIN	DATE	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD
MIAMI	MIAMI	3/16/66	1/11 - 3/15/66

TITLE OF CASE: FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL, aka

REPORT MADE BY: [redacted] TYPED BY: kr

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- REFERENCES -

Report of SA [redacted] 2/10/66, at Miami;
Chicago letter to Director, 3/2/66, captioned "ANTHONY JOHN SPILOTRO, aka, ITSP - TJT, OO: CHICAGO."

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ENCLOSURES (TO BUREAU):

Two copies of a letterhead memorandum characterizing informants utilized in this report.

- LEADS -

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At Miami, Florida:

Will follow activities of subject.

Case pending over 1 year - Yes.
Prosecution pending over 6 months - No.

APPROVED: SPECIAL AGENT IN CHARGE

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- ADMINISTRATIVE -

Information concerning telephone number [redacted] was obtained from [redacted] (protect), [redacted] North Dade, Florida.

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- INFORMANTS -

MM T-1 is [redacted]

MM T-2 is

MM T-3 is

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Copy to: 1 - United States Attorney, Miami, Florida
(Attention: [redacted] Departmental Attorney)

Report of: [redacted] Office: Miami, Florida
Date: 3/16/66

Field Office File No.: 92-726 Bureau File No.: 92-6692

Title: FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL

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Character: ANTI-RACKETEERING; INTERSTATE GAMBLING ACTIVITIES

Synopsis:

FRANK ROSENTHAL resides 2123 N. E. 122nd St., N. Miami, Fla. Subject maintains employment with MSNS, Miami. Source advised ROSENTHAL member of Chicago burglary gang which includes [redacted] Miami, and ANTHONY SPILOTRO, Melrose Park, Ill. Bookmaking associates ELLIOT PRICE and [redacted] have been in Miami during month of March, 1966. Long distance toll calls set forth.

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DETAILS

At North Miami, Florida:

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

FRANK ROSENTHAL lives at 2123 N. E. 122nd Street, Miami, Florida. Also at this residence is [redacted]

ROSENTHAL drives a 1964 light blue Oldsmobile bearing 1965 Florida License 1W-86111. [redacted] drives a 1966 dark blue Oldsmobile bearing 1965 Florida License 1W-184735.

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BUSINESS ACTIVITIES

ROSENTHAL maintains his position as sports consultant for Multiple Sports News Service (MSNS).

MSNS is currently working based at the home residence of SAM GREEN. This address is 1865 N. E. 207th Terrace, Dade County, Florida.

Telephone number WI7-6439 is currently being used as the contact number for "the service."

On March 15, 1966, [redacted] Attorney, Florida Attorney General's Office, Miami, Florida, advised that he had received a formal notice of appeal from [redacted] This appeal was in reference to the permanent injunction granted by Circuit Judge HARVEY S. DU VAL against the continuance of phone service at MSNS. According to [redacted] no date has been set for the appeal.

JUDICIAL PROCEEDINGS

Federal Grand Jury - Miami, Florida

[redacted] before the Grand Jury in regard to [redacted]

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Status of Case

On March 15, 1966, Departmental Attorney [redacted] advised that it is the present plan of the Department of Justice to indict the following individuals along with the operators of MSNS. He indicated further that the below-named individuals were all recipients of information and customers of MSNS:

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ELLIOT PAUL PRICE, Brookline, Massachusetts;

ANGEL-KAPLAN, Chicago, Illinois;

[redacted] Maryland;

[redacted] North Carolina;

RUBY LAZARUS, Miami, Florida.

GENERAL ACTIVITIES

On January 20, 1966, MM T-1 advised SA ROBERT F. FETZNER that FRANK ROSENTHAL was at the Sea Gull Hotel during the past week and on that occasion he extended an invitation to MICKEY ZION to play him a high stake card game. His offer was not accepted by ZION.

MM T-1 also advised that ROSENTHAL has been seen on numerous occasions during the past weeks at the Bayshore Golf Club, Miami Beach, Florida.

On February 17, 1966, MM T-1 advised that FRANK ROSENTHAL attended [redacted] which was held on [redacted] Miami Beach. According to source, all the leading gambling and bookmaking figures in the Miami area were present at this event. b6 b7C b7D

On February 21, 1966, FRANK ROSENTHAL was observed in the company of MORTON PAUL KANE, [redacted] and RUBY LAZARUS at the University of Miami vs. Stetson College basketball game played at Convention Hall, Miami Beach, Florida.

MISCELLANEOUS BOOKMAKING ACTIVITIES

JOHN PROKOS

As previously reported, Bureau Agents arrested JOHN PROKOS and two associates for violation of federal gambling statutes on November 28, 1965. Among evidence seized was a customer and "bottom" list. A review of these lists reflected that FRANK ROSENTHAL had account number 114 with PROKOS and owed PROKOS as of November 28, 1965, $1300.

GILBERT LEE BECKLEY

On January 8, 1966, a search was executed by Miami FBI Agents at the apartment residence of BECKLEY. Among items seized at this search was a customer list and "bottom" sheet. A review of these lists reflected that ROSENTHAL had account number 3 and owed to BECKLEY as of that date $250.

KENNETH "JAP" HANNA

On January 8, 1966, HANNA was arrested by Miami FBI Agents and a search was executed at his apartment residence. Among other items seized was a customer list. This list reflected under the caption "Service" the telephone numbers of FRANK ROSENTHAL and SAM GREEN.

ASSOCIATES

A. JOSEPH NESLINE

After an extended trip to London, England, NESLINE returned to the home of [redacted] on February 18, 1966. NESLINE remained at the home of [redacted] until February 28, 1966.

B. ELLIOT PAUL PRICE

Investigation reflects that PRICE resided at the Sea Gull Hotel, Miami Beach, Florida, from February 24, 1966, through March 1, 1966. During this stay, he was accompanied by [redacted] b6 b7C

C. JULIUS SILVERMAN

SILVERMAN has been residing at the Sea Gull Hotel, Miami Beach, Florida, since January 28, 1966. During this time, he has not been observed in the company of FRANK ROSENTHAL.

D. [redacted]

[redacted] a leading gambling and bookmaking figure in Toronto, Canada, was obseved deplaning on March 4, 1966, from a flight which originated in Tampa, Florida, for Miami, Florida.

From March 4 to March 6, 1966, [redacted] resided at the Suez Motel, Miami Beach, Florida. During the stay, [redacted] was not observed in the presence of FRANK ROSENTHAL. b6 b7C

JEWEL THIEF ACTIVITIES - ASSOCIATES

On January 11, 1966, MM T-2 advised SA GEORGE W. STEPHAN that he had [redacted] ANTHONY "LITTLE TONY" SPILOTRO. Source stated SPILOTRO lives in the 4300 block of West Montrose Avenue, Chicago, Illinois.

"LITTLE TONY" is known as an enforcer and hit man for the outfit. Source stated that although TONY is approximately 26 years of age, he has had a fast rise in the syndicate. In the past, SPILOTRO has operated as a burglar, stickup man, bookmaker, and juice man. Source advised that SPILOTRO works for MARSHALL CAIFANO and FELIX ALDERISIO. Source further stated that SPILOTRO has certain people who are members of his gang which consists of [redacted] RICHARD GORMAN (recently deceased) and VICTOR SPILOTRO and others. b6 b7C b7D

On January 16, 1966, MM T-3 advised SA [redacted] that RONALD DE ANGELES, who operates a radio repair shop in Melrose Park, Illinois, is closely associated with a group of burglars who are [redacted] either Milwaukee or Indianapolis. Source indicated that DE ANGELES acts with complete freedom in Melrose Park and is protected by the police.

On January 26, 1966, source advised that the burglary gang consists of [redacted] also known as [redacted] RONALD DE ANGELES, FRANK "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL and [redacted] of Miami, Florida, [redacted] TONY SPILOTRO [redacted] (LNU) and others.

On January 24, 1966, source advised that DE ANGELES [redacted] in Miami, Florida. [redacted] Also Miami were TONY SPILOTRO and [redacted]

[redacted]

Previous investigation reflects that ROSENTHAL is

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

3/15/66
Date

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On 3/14/66 at Miami, Florida File # Miami 92-726

by IC [redacted] plm Date dictated 3/14/66

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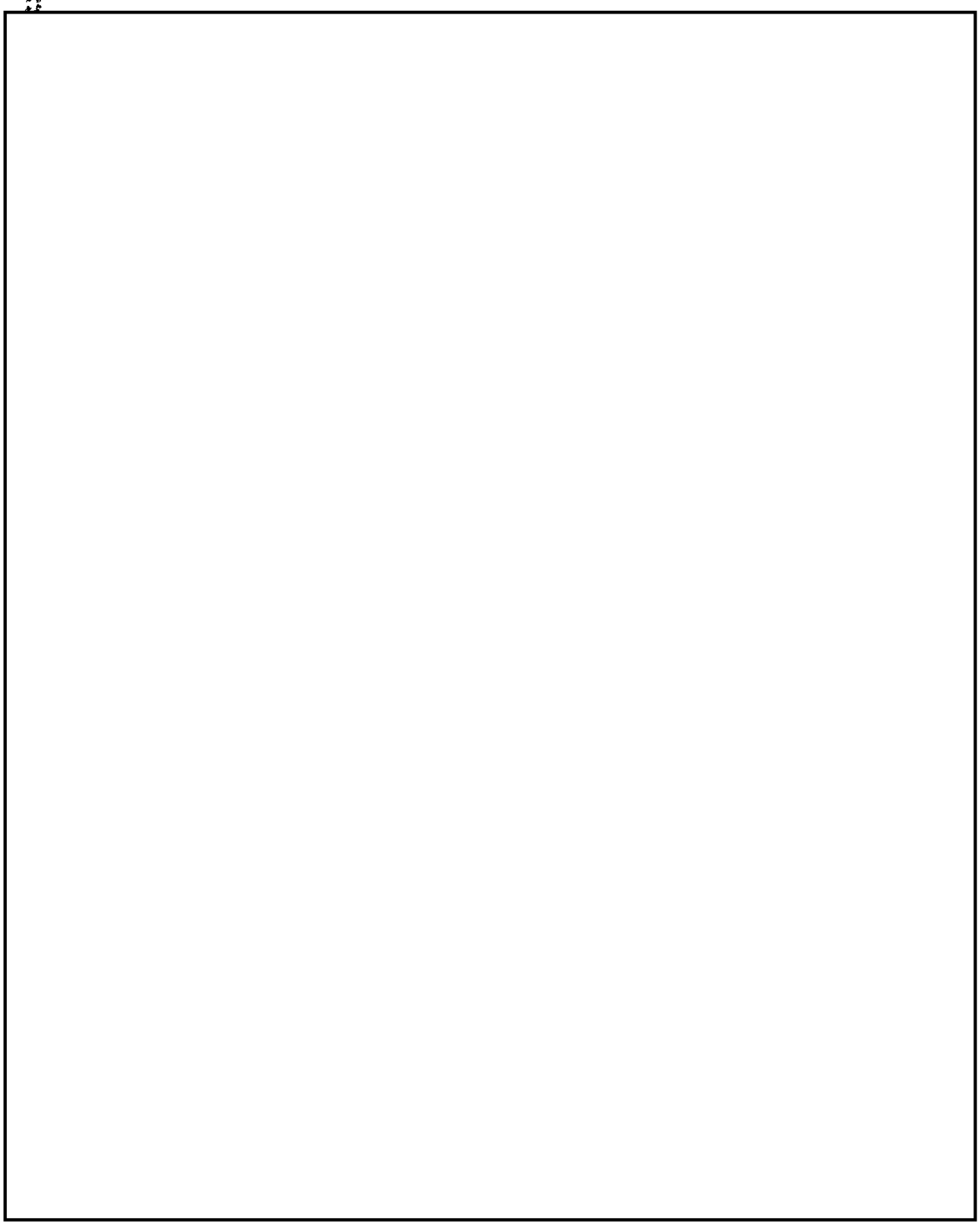

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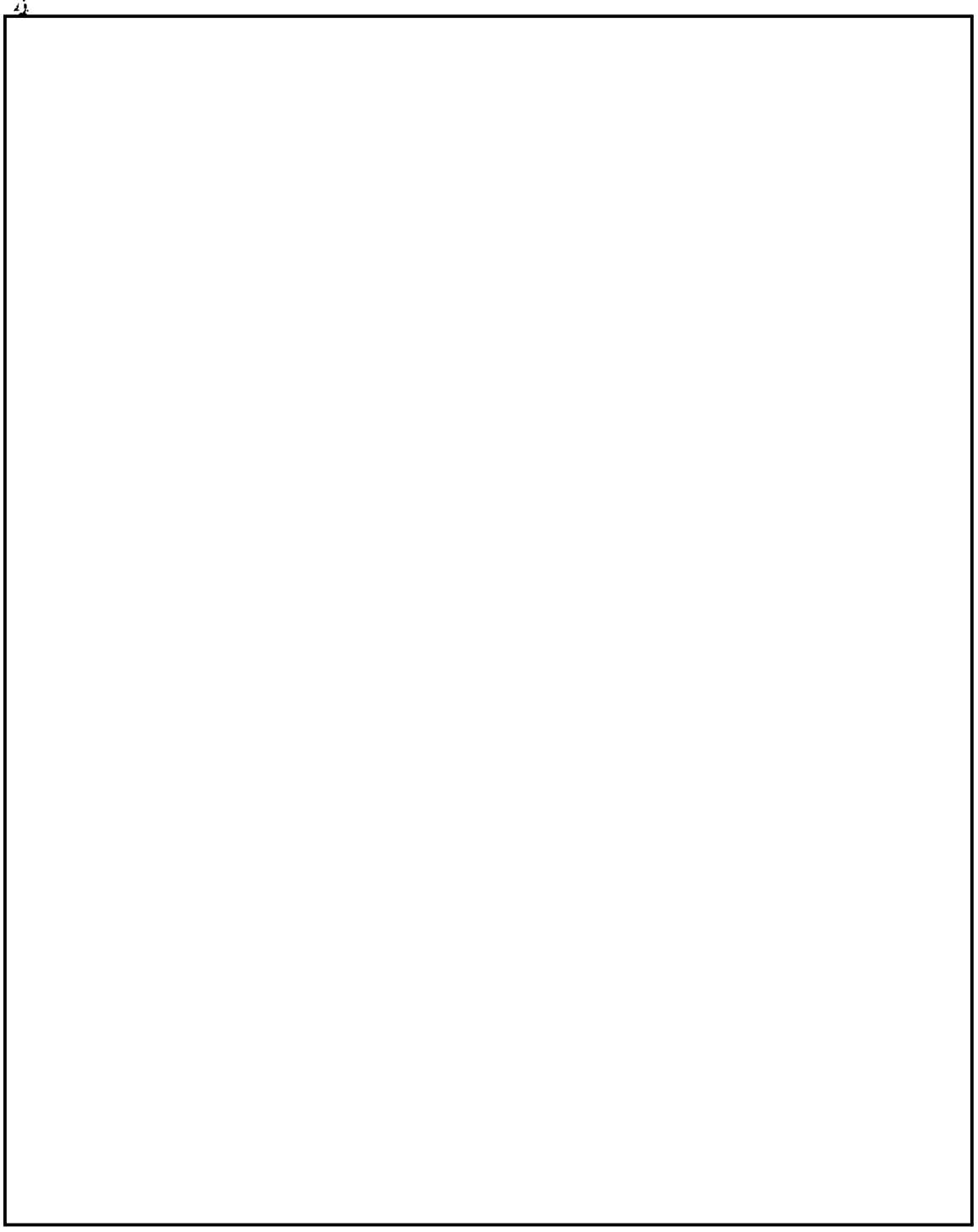

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Miami, Florida
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MM T-2 is an individual who is closely associated with the criminal element in South Chicago, Illinois.

MM T-3 is an individual who is associated with certain members of the criminal element in the Chicago area.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

REPORTING OFFICE	OFFICE OF ORIGIN	DATE	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD
Miami	Miami	4/20/66	3/2 - 4/19/66

TITLE OF CASE

FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL, aka

REPORT MADE BY [redacted] TYPED BY :bjc

CHARACTER OF CASE

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- REFERENCES -

Report of SA [redacted] dated 3/16/66, at Miami.
Chicago letter to the Bureau dated 3/16/66, captioned ANTHONY JOHN SPILOTRO, aka; ITSP - TJT, OO: Chicago.

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- ENCLOSURES -

Enclosed for the Bureau are the original and one copy of a letterhead memorandum characterizing the informants utilized in this report.

Case pending over 1 year: yes ☑ no ☐

Prosecution pending over 6 months. yes ☐ no ☑

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- LEADS -

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AT MIAMI, FLORIDA

Will follow activities of subject.

- ADMINISTRATIVE -

Information regarding telephone number [redacted] was obtained from [redacted] North Dade, Florida. b6 b7C b7D

On April 14, 1966, Departmental Attorney [redacted] Miami, Florida, requested a conference with SA [redacted] At this conference, [redacted] made available copies of letterhead memoranda that were submitted in 1964 and 1965 regarding captioned case. The material incorporated into the letterhead memoranda was obtained from MM 972-C*.

Departmental Attorney [redacted] reflected that in view of the pending indictment to be drafted regarding ROSENTHAL and others in connection with the activities of Multiple Sports News Service (MSNS), it was imperative that he knew the identity of the source contained in the memoranda. b6 b7C

On April 15, 1966, Departmental Attorney [redacted] conferred with SA H. WAYNE SWINNEY and SA [redacted] was advised by SA SWINNEY that the source of the memoranda was not a live source and further, was not connected with a telephone. SA SWINNEY further advised that he would make no other comments concerning this matter.

Departmental Attorney [redacted] stated that he still intended to draft an indictment against ROSENTHAL by so wording the language that it would not include the time period of the source indicated in the letterhead memoranda.

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[redacted] further stated that as of June 1, 1966, the new Federal rules of criminal procedure will go into effect. It is his interpretation of these rules that defense counsel would have a right to examine the letterhead memoranda previously mentioned in view of the fact that these memoranda were part of the ROSENTHAL file which is in possession of the Department of Justice. b6 b7C

- INFORMANTS -

MM T-1 is [redacted] b7D

MM T-2 is [redacted]

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Copy to: 1 - United States Attorney, Miami
Attention: Departmental Attorney [redacted]

Report of: [redacted] Office: Miami, Florida b6 b7C
Date: April 20, 1966

Field Office File No.: 92-726 Bureau File No.: 92-6692

Title: FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL

Character: ANTI-RACKETEERING;
INTERSTATE GAMBLING ACTIVITIES

Synopsis:

FRANK ROSENTHAL resides at 2123 Northeast 122nd Street, North Miami, Fla. Subject maintains his business connection with Multiple Sports News Service, Miami. ANTHONY SPILOTRO, Chicago, maintains contact with subject. Long-distance calls set out.

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DETAILS:

AT NORTH MIAMI, FLORIDA

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BACKGROUND INFORMATION

FRANK ROSENTHAL resides at 2123 Northeast 122nd Street, North Miami, Florida. Residing with ROSENTHAL at this residence is [redacted] b6 b7C

Subject drives a 1966 dark blue Oldsmobile bearing 1965 Florida license 1W184735. Another car driven by ROSENTHAL is a 1964 light blue Oldsmobile bearing 1965 Florida license 1W-86111.

BUSINESS ACTIVITIES

ROSENTHAL maintains his position as Sports Consultant for Multiple Sports News Service (MSNS). The present address of MSNS for mailing purposes is 1090 Northeast 79th Street, Miami, Florida. The telephone contact number is currently WIlson 7-6439. Prior investigation reflects this is the residence phone of SAM GREEN, proported president of MSNS.

On April 19, 1966, MM T-1 advised that during the 1965 Major League Baseball Season, he was assigned Account Number [redacted] b7D

Inasmuch as the 1966 Major League Baseball Season commenced on April 12, 1966, he again tried to establish contact with MSNS. Source advised that he was told by SAM GREEN he would have to contact "one of the boys" to get the baseball pitching line. The price quoted by GREEN was $50 a week, although he indicated that it possibly could be secured from someone for $40 a week.

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JUDICIAL PROCEEDINGS

On April 15, 1966, [redacted] Attorney, Florida Attorney General's Office, Miami, Florida, advised that he has heard nothing concerning the date of the hearing before the Public Utilities Commission, Miami, regarding reactivation of phone service for MSNS.

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STATUS OF CASE REGARDING ROSENTHAL AND ASSOCIATES

On April 15, 1966, Departmental Attorney [redacted] Miami, advised that he and his associates are still working on the indictment against FRANK ROSENTHAL, SAM GREEN and other associates. He indicated that the indictment should be returned sometime during the latter part of April, or first part of May, 1966.

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GENERAL ACTIVITIES

On March 9, 1966, MM T-2 advised SA ROBERT F. FETZNER that Lieutenant [redacted] of the Dade County Sheriff's Office, had been transferred to the North Dade Sub-station by Chief of Detectives [redacted] This relocation was brought about by the fact that Lieutenant [redacted] had issued several traffic tickets to FRANK "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL, which had angered [redacted] b6 b7C b7D

Source had heard comments that [redacted] was a conscientious officer who tried to do his job but that he constantly [redacted] because he made arrests or harassed the thieves who [redacted] allegedly tried to protect [redacted]

AT CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

On March 2, 1966, a review of long-distance telephone calls billed to ANTHONY SPILOTRO, telephone number 383-7650, reflects the following calls made to Miami telephone number 758-5559, which number is that of FRANK ROSENTHAL:

11/12/65
11/13/65
11/20/65
11/25/65

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Previous investigation reflects that ROSENTHAL

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The records of [redacted]

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On 4/18/66 at Miami, Florida File # MM 92-726

by IC [redacted] :me Date dictated 4/18/66

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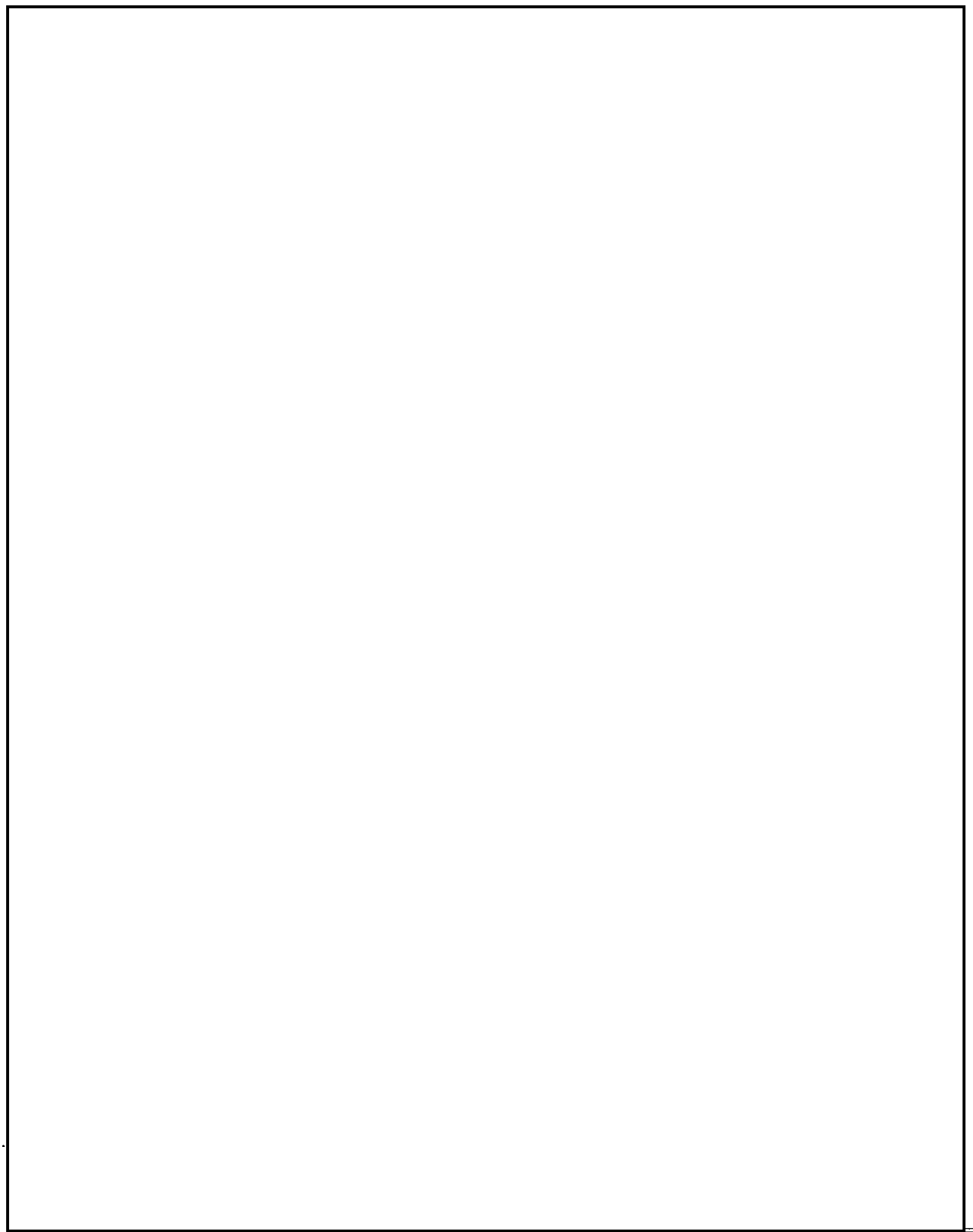

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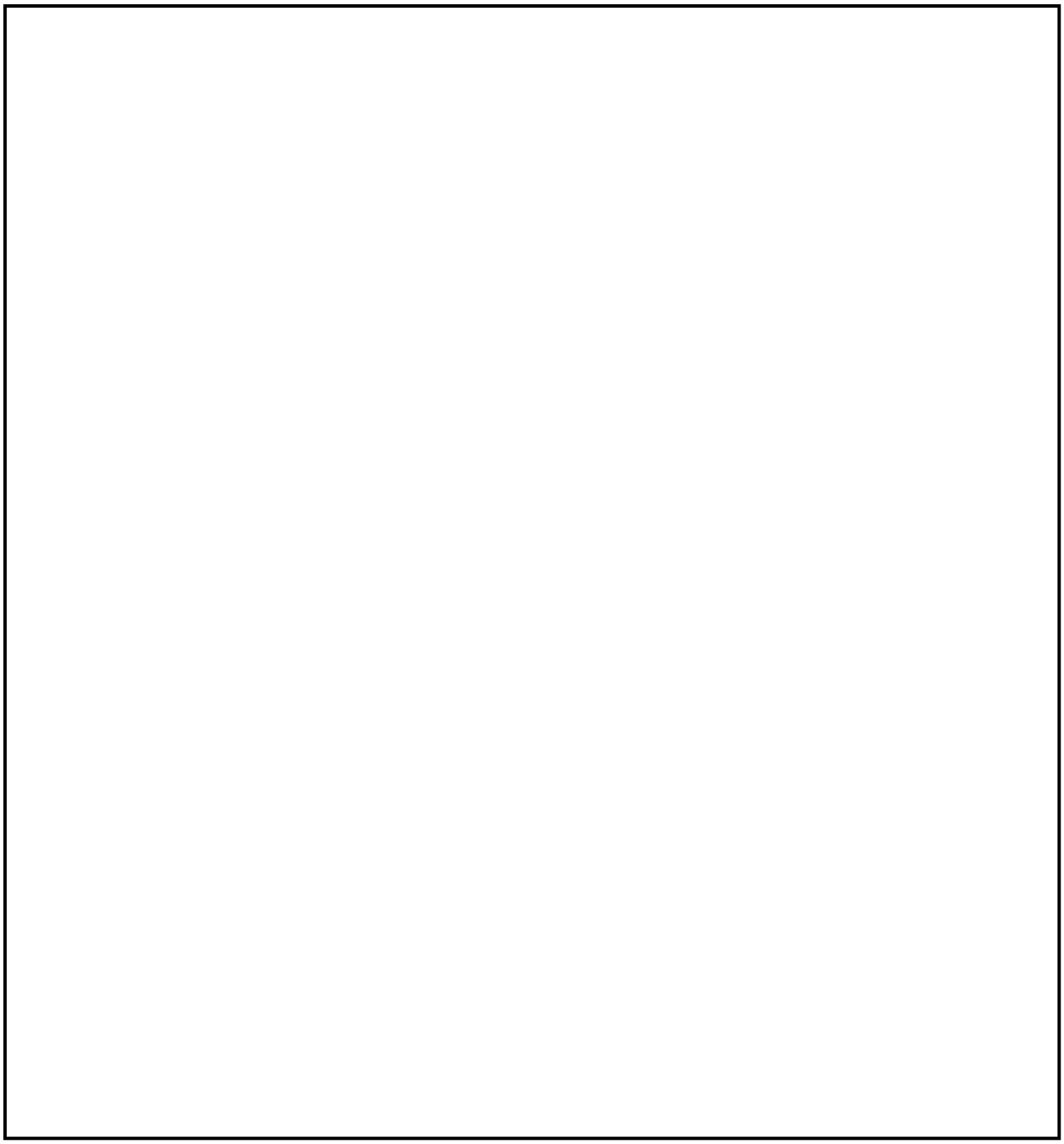

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to File No.

Miami, Florida
April 20, 1966

Title FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL

Character ANTI-RACKETEERING;
INTERSTATE GAMBLING ACTIVITIES

Reference Report of Special Agent [redacted] dated and captioned as above at Miami, Florida.

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Miami, Florida
April 20, 1966

RE: FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL
ANTI-RACKETEERING;
INTERSTATE GAMBLING ACTIVITIES

Reference is made to the report of Special Agent [redacted] dated and captioned as above at Miami, Florida. b6 b7C

The following is a characterization of the informants utilized in above-referenced report:

MM T-1 is a local bookmaker and bettor on sporting events.

MM T-2 is an individual in a position to observe criminals and ascertain their influence in the Miami area.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

REPORTING OFFICE	OFFICE OF ORIGIN	DATE	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD
MIAMI	MIAMI	6/27/66	4/20 - 6/20/66

TITLE OF CASE

FRANK LANG "Lefty" ROSENTHAL, aka

REPORT MADE BY [redacted] TYPED BY pch

CHARACTER OF CASE

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REFERENCE

Miami report of SA [redacted] dated 4/20/66.

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ENCLOSURES TO: BUREAU (2)

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Case has been pending over 1 year; prosecution has not been pending over 6 months.

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At Miami, Florida:

Will follow activities of subject.

ADMINISTRATIVE

Information re Miami telephone number [redacted] was obtained from [redacted] (protect). [redacted] b6 b7C b7D

Former MM 972-C* advised that upon the death of WILLIAM KAPLAN, partner in Angel-Kaplan Sports Service, FRANK ROSENTHAL will take over this service and get rid of DON ANGELINI.

On April 7, 1966, [redacted] advised SA ROBERT F. FETZNER that BILL KAPLAN died in a convalescent home on April 5, 1966 in Chicago, Illinois.

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INFORMANTS

MM T-1 is [redacted]

MM T-2 is

MM T-3 is

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Copy to: 1 - United States Attorney, Miami, Florida. (Attention: Departmental Attorney [redacted])

Report of: [redacted] Office: Miami, Florida
Date: June 27, 1966

Field Office File No.: 92-726 Bureau File No.: 92-6692 b6 b7C

Title: FRANK LANG "Lefty" ROSENTHAL

Character: ANTI-RACKETEERING; INTERSTATE GAMBLING ACTIVITIES

Synopsis:

FRANK ROSENTHAL resides at 2123 NE 122nd Street, North Miami, Fla. Subject arrested 5/26/66 for violation of ITWI statute. ROSENTHAL observed in company of [redacted] and [redacted] Long distance toll calls set out.

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DETAILS:

At North Miami, Florida:

Background

FRANK ROSENTHAL continues his residence at 2123 Northeast 122nd Street, North Miami, Florida. He resides at this address with [redacted]

ROSENTHAL drives a 1966 dark blue Oldsmobile bearing 1966 Florida license 1W59669. Another car driven by ROSENTHAL is a 1966 maroon Oldsmobile convertible, bearing 1966 Florida license 1W166995.

Business Activities

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FRANK ROSENTHAL maintains his alleged position as sports consultant of Multiple Sports News Service (MSNS). The mailing address of this business concern is 1090 Northeast 79th Street, Miami, Florida. Actual business is handled at the residence of SAMUEL GREEN, 1865 Northeast 207th Street, Dade County, Florida.

On April 7, 1966, MM T-1 advised SA ROBERT F. FETZNER that BILL KAPLAN, primary operator of Angel-Kaplan Sports Service, had died in a Chicago, Illinois convalescent home on April 5, 1966. It is noted that ROSENTHAL was a former employee at this sports service.

Arrest of FRANK ROSENTHAL - SAMUEL GREEN

On May 24, 1966, an authorized complaint was filed before United States Commissioner RUSSELL R. HERMANN, Los Angeles, California, by SA LEO B. LA RUE, charging ROSENTHAL and GREEN with violation of Section 1084, Title, 18, United States Code.

ROSENTHAL surrendered to the United States Marshal, Miami, on May 26, 1966, and United States Commissioner EDWARD P. SWAN, Miami, set a bond of $5,000.

SAMUEL GREEN was arrested on May 25, 1966, and appeared before United States Commissioner EDWARD P. SWAN on this date. He was released on a $5,000 bond.

ROSENTHAL and GREEN were arrested in regard to wagering information that was transmitted between GERRY KILGORE, dba J. K.'s Sports Journal, Los Angeles, California, and SAMUEL GREEN, dba as MSNS. KILGORE in making calls to Miami, Florida, was using an electric device to circumvent the telephone billing system.

Judicial Proceedings

On May 15, 1966, Departmental Attorney [redacted] Miami, Florida, advised that of this date, the complaint against FRANK ROSENTHAL and SAMUEL GREEN had not been dismissed. b6 b7C

DA [redacted] indicated that the complaint would be dismissed as soon as an indictment is returned against FRANK ROSENTHAL and SAMUEL GREEN on Interstate Transmission of Wagering Information, charges originating in Los Angeles, California.

On April 15, 1966, MM T-2 advised that ROSENTHAL is aware that [redacted] has talked to the FBI. b7D

ANTHONY ESPERTI - Pink Pussycat Extortion Trial

VINCENT AMATO, [redacted] b6
along with [redacted] were accused of "shaking down" b7C
[redacted] the Pink Pussycat Nightclub.

On May 4, 1966, these individuals were found not guilty by a jury verdict. During this week-long trial in Miami, Florida, FRANK ROSENTHAL was seen daily attending the trial and conversing with defendant [redacted]

General Activities

On April 20, 1966, MM T-3 advised that she had heard nothing in the last four weeks concerning the activities of FRANK ROSENTHAL.

On April 28, 1966, MM T-1 advised SA ROBERT F. FETZNER that FRANK ROSENTHAL showed up at the Seagull Motel every day the past week. ROSENTHAL reportedly made sizeable baseball bets with IRVING ZION. Each day ROSENTHAL and ZION also engaged in a high stake card game generally played at $5 per game.

On May 5, 1966, MM T-1 advised that on April 29, 1966, ROSENTHAL [redacted] with IRVING ZION b7D
at the Seagull Motel.

On May 12, 1966, MM T-1 advised SA FETZNER that ROSENTHAL was seen on May 12, 1966, with JOE SILESI.

On May 17, 1966, Lieutenant [redacted] North b6
Miami, Florida Police Department, advised that he had re- b7C
ceived information that on May 10, 1966, a party of Italians were having a celebration at the Apartment Lounge. This group included FRANK ROSENTHAL, VINCENT AMATO, [redacted] [redacted] and [redacted]

On May 19, 1966, MM T-1 advised that during the past week, ROSENTHAL has met with JOHN PROKOS and RUBY LAZARUS on a daily basis around 11:00 p.m., at the Seagull Hotel.

From May 19 - 30, 1966, ROSENTHAL has been observed in the company of [redacted] FBI Number [redacted] b6 b7C a known jewel thief from the Chicago, Illinois area. These meetings would take place at [redacted] North Miami.

On June 15, 1966, FRANK ROSENTHAL was observed at Alfie's Sundries, Miami Beach, Florida, at which time a search was being conducted by investigators of the Attorney General's Office, State of Florida, Miami, Florida, and the Miami Beach, Florida Police Department, pursuant to bookmaking activities at this business address.

[redacted] Contacts

It has been previously reported that ROSENTHAL [redacted] b7D

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Date 4/27/66

The records of [redacted]

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On 6/20/66 at Miami, Florida File # Miami 92-726

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by IC [redacted] pch Date dictated 6/22/66

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The above records are confidential and can only be obtained through the issuance of a subpoena duces tecum. This subpoena should be directed to [redacted]

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to File No.

Miami, Florida
June 27, 1966

Title FRANK LANG "Lefty" ROSENTHAL

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Character ANTI-RACKETEERING;
INTERSTATE GAMBLING ACTIVITIES

Reference Report of Special Agent [redacted] dated and captioned as above at Miami, Florida

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In Reply, Please Refer to File No.

Miami, Florida
June 27, 1966

Re: FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL
ANTI-RACKETEERING;
INTERSTATE GAMBLING ACTIVITIES

Reference is made to the report of Special Agent [redacted] dated and captioned as above at Miami, Florida. b6 b7C

The following is a characterization of the informants utilized in the above-referenced report:

MM T-1 is an individual who mingles with the criminal element on a daily basis in the Miami area.

MM T-2 is an individual who is familiar with gambling activities on a nation-wide basis.

MM T-3 is an individual who is acquainted with certain members of the gambling and hoodlum element in the Miami area.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (92-6692)

DATE: 7/12/66

FROM : SAC, MIAMI (92-726) (P)

SUBJECT: FRANK LANG "Lefty" ROSENTHAL, aka
AR

OO: Miami

Request for Check of Long Distance Toll Records

As the Bureau is aware, FRANK ROSENTHAL is the subscriber to Miami telephone number 758-5559. This phone is located at the residence of ROSENTHAL, 2123 NE 122nd Street.

ROSENTHAL, a convicted sports briber, nationwide gambling figure, and is the alleged sports consultant for Multiple Sports News Service (MSNS). The latter is one of the major disseminators of "line" information to interstate gambling and bookmaking figures.

It is the considered opinion of the Miami Office that in order to fully investigate the activities of ROSENTHAL, a monthly check of long distance phone calls should be obtained.

The Miami Division has always enjoyed an excellent working arrangement with the Southern Bell Telephone & Telegraph Co., and full security is assured in obtaining long distance tolls for above mentioned number.

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Director, FBI (92-6692) - 56

FRANK LANG "Lefty" ROSENTHAL, aka
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Reurlet 7/12/66.

Bureau authority for you to obtain records of toll calls made from subject's telephones is being held in abeyance at this time pending results of a survey being conducted by the Bureau and the Department as to the legality of this procedure.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

REPORTING OFFICE	OFFICE OF ORIGIN	DATE	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD
MIAMI	MIAMI	7/21/66	5/26 - 7/14/66

TITLE OF CASE

FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL, Aka.

REPORT MADE BY [redacted] TYPED BY lcc

CHARACTER OF CASE

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-REFERENCE-

Miami report of SA [redacted] 6/27/66.

ENCLOSURES: TO THE BUREAU (2)

Enclosed for the Bureau is theooriginal and one copy of an LHM characterizing informants utilized in this report.

-LEADS-

MIAMI

At Miami, Florida:

Case pending over one year; prosecution not pending over six months.

Case has been: Pending over one year ☐ Yes ☐ No; Pending prosecution over six months ☐ Yes ☐ No

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Will follow and report activities of the subject.

-ADMINISTRATIVE-

On June 27, 1966, Departmental Attorney [redacted] advised that he had been recently contacted by [redacted] who represents GILBERT LEE BECKLEY. [redacted] indicated that he intended to file on behalf of his client. Motions for Dismissal based on the fact that electronic devices were used in the investigation of FRANK ROSENTHAL. b6 b7C

On June 30, 1966, [redacted] advised SA [redacted] that it was common knowledge among the gambling and hoodlum elements in this area that the Government had dismissed process against FRANK ROSENTHAL and SAMUEL GREEN due to the usage by the FBI of electronic equipment in their investigation.

On July 12, 1966, a letter was sent to the Bureau requesting permission to obtain long distance toll call records regarding telephone 758-5559. This number is subscribed to by FRANK ROSENTHAL at his home residence.

-INFORMANTS-

MM T-1 is [redacted]

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Copy to: 1 - United States Attorney, Miami, Florida
(Attention: Departmental Attorney [redacted])

Report of: [redacted] Office: Miami, Florida
Date: July 21, 1966

Field Office File No.: 92-726 Bureau File No.: 92-6692

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Title: FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL b7C

Character: ANTI-RACKETEERING; INTERSTATE GAMBLING ACTIVITIES

Synopsis:

FRANK ROSENTHAL resides at 2123 N. E. 122nd Street, North Miami, Fla. Complaint dismissed 6/21/66, against FRANK ROSENTHAL and SAMUEL GREEN regarding arrest made on 11/28/65. On 6/27/66, complaint dismissed regarding FRANK ROSENTHAL and SAMUEL GREEN on charges in Los Angeles, Calif. FRANK ROSENTHAL presently confined Mt. Sinai Hospital, Miami Beach, Fla.

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DETAILS

At North Miami, Florida:

BACKGROUND

FRANK ROSENTHAL resides with [redacted] at 2123 N. E. 122nd Street, North Miami, Florida.

ROSENTHAL drives a 1966 dark blue Oldsmobile bearing 1966 Florida license 1W 59669. [redacted] drives a 1966 maroon Oldsmobile convertible bearing 1966 Florida license 1W 166995.

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BUSINESS ACTIVITIES

ROSENTHAL continues to operate as the sports consultant of Multiple Sports News Service (MSNS). This enterprise maintains office space at 1090 N. E. 79th Street, Miami, Florida. Day-to-day business is transacted at the residence of the "paper" President SAMUEL GREEN, 1865 N. E. 207th Street, Dade County, Florida.

On May 26, 1966, MM T-1 advised SA ROBERT F. FETZNER that some of the local bookmakers are now getting their "line" information from Cincinnati and bookmakers MICKEY ZION, [redacted] and CHARLES KAUFMAN set their own prices. Source further advised that FRANK "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL's Multiple Sports Service is out of action and as a result of this, the "boys" have to make up their own line. b6 b7C

MM T-2 advised that [redacted] "line" information from an individual utilizing telephone number [redacted] in Miami. This number is listed to Alfie's of Miami Beach, Florida. It is noted that T-1 [redacted] "line" information from MSNS. b7D

On July 11, 1966, MM T-3 advised he understands ROSENTHAL's MSNS is not distributing the "line" to a large group of Miami area bookmakers. Source did advise that MSNS will be again distributing the "Line" in football on a wide basis.

JUDICIAL PROCEEDINGS

A. Arrest of FRANK ROSENTHAL and SAMUEL GREEN November 28, 1965, For Violation of INTERSTATE TRANSMISSION OF WAGERING INFORMATION and INTERSTATE TRANSMISSION IN AID OF RACKETEERING STATUTES

The following article captioned, "Charges Dropped Against Rosenthal" appeared in the "Miami Herald", Miami,

Florida, on June 21, 1966:

"The government has 'declined prosecution' of Frank (Lefty) Rosenthal on gambling charges stemming from a 1965 FBI raid, U. S. Attorney William A. Meadows confirmed Monday.

"Meadows and Wallace Johnson, Florida director of the Justice Department's organized crime division have dismissed the charges against Rosenthal.

"In November, 1965 Rosenthal and four other men were arrested in a series of FBI raids deemed so important a blow to South Florida gambling that the arrests were announced by J. Edgar Hoover at Washington.

"Rosenthal was charged with interstate transmission of betting information through his Multiple Sports News Service, 1090 NE 79th St.

"He was given a preliminary hearing on the charges in December before U.S. Commissioner Edward P. Swan. Swan ordered him bound over for federal grand jury action.

"Arrested in the same raid was Sam Green, 52, of 7851 NE 10th Ct., who is president of the sports service. The government order of dismissal also covers the charges against Green.

"Both Rosenthal and Green were arrested again by the FBI in May on similar interstate gambling charges which stem from a complaint filed at Los Angeles.

"A hearing on these charges has been set for Monday at 2:30 p.m. before U.S. Commissioner Edward P. Swan.

"Johnson said Monday he had 'no comment' on the dismissal of the November charges against

Rosenthal. Johnson sent the letter, over Meadow's signature, which dismissed the charges because the Justice Department had 'declined prosecution' of the case.

"Meadows said the decision was made because the local case and the one in California are similar in nature, overlapping in some instances, and it was 'better to defer prosecution in favor of California.'

"He went on to say that from some standpoints of evidence the California case was a stronger one that the Miami charge. Asked why Rosenthal would not be prosecuted on both cases, Meadows replied:

'I can't comment on that. We would be getting into the evidence. We all agreed we should dismiss the case.'

"He said the decision was made without conferences with Rosenthal's attorney E. David Rosen. He said Rosen and his client have been informed of the decision.

"Rosenthal, 36, of 2123 NE 122nd St., and Green will be represented at Monday's hearing on the California charges by Rosen.

"The preliminary hearing has been postponed a number of time because the government hoped to get on indictment from California which would cancel the hearing.

"So far, an indictment has not been handed down."

On June 22, 1966, the following article appeared on the editorial page of the "Miami Herald", Miami, Florida:

"The Big One's Off The Hook"

"Seven months ago, the FBI arrested Frank (Lefty) Rosenthal and four other men in a gambling raid of such heft that it was announced by no less a figure than J. Edgar Hoover in Washington.

"The act was reassuring. At last the rackets had the eye of the federal government.

"Lamentably, the eye cannot seem to focus. The Justice Department has 'declined prosecution' in Florida of the Rosenthal Case. It is still struggling to get an indictment of the same man in California, where it believes it has a stronger case. At the moment, then, Rosenthal is not really under indictment anywhere.

"Is it customary not to prosecute wrong-doing wherever and everywhere it occurs?

"In Florida, in any case, another big one is off the hook. In truth, one has never really been caught."

On June 30, 1966, MM T-4 advised that she had heard several individuals discuss the recent dismissal of charges against FRANK ROSENTHAL and SAM GREEN. It was the consensus of these individuals' opinions that the Federal Government had used electronic equipment in the investigation of these two individuals and did not want to be embarrassed at any further judicial proceedings.

B. Arrest of SAM GREEN and FRANK ROSENTHAL May 25 and May 26, 1966, Respectively, On Complaint Issued in Los Angeles, California

On June 27, 1966, FRANK ROSENTHAL and SAM GREEN appeared before United States Commissioner EDWARD P. SWAN, Miami. This appearance was for a preliminary hearing on charges in a complaint filed in Los Angeles, California, May 24, 1966.

Departmental Attorney [redacted] Miami, advised United States Commissioner SWAN that charges had been dropped in Los Angeles, California. Thereafter, Mr. SWAN dismissed the complaint against ROSENTHAL and GREEN. b6 b7C

On June 28, 1966, the following article captioned, "2nd Gambling Case Dropped" appeared in the "Miami Herald, Miami, Florida:

"A second set of gambling charges against Frank (Lefty) Rosenthal and Sam Green were dropped by the government Monday.

"The U.S. announced dismissal of a charge filed May 24 at Los Angeles against the two officials of a sports news service.

"The California complaint charged them with illegal transmission of betting information across state lines.

"Last week the government dropped similar charges against Rosenthal and Green.

"That case involved a complaint filed in Miami by the FBI after a raid in November 1965.

"A preliminary hearing had been held on the Miami charges and the two had been bound over for grand jury action.

"U.S. Attorney William A. Meadows last week said the U.S. was dismissing the case since the Justice Department had declined prosecution in favor of federal authorities in California.

"Monday, Rosenthal, Green and their attorney, E. David Rosen, appeared before U.S. Commissioner Edward P. Swan for a preliminary hearing on the California complaint.

"Wallace Johnson, Florida director for the Justice Department - organized crime division told Swan that federal officials at Los Angeles had dropped the charges pending in California.

"The complaint is then dismissed,' Swan said.

"'The action, coupled with last week's dismissal leaves the two officials of Multiple Sports News Service, 1090 NE 79th St., free of the federal charges."

On July 5, 1966, Departmental Attorney [redacted] advised that he had been in contact with Assistant United States Attorney [redacted] Los Angeles, and an indictment against FRANK ROSENTHAL and SAM GREEN is forthcoming. b6 b7C

C. Traffic Court Conviction Dade County, Florida

On July 9, 1966, the following article appeared in the "Miami Herald", Miami, Florida:

"Lefty Goes To Hospital -- Not Jail"

"Gambler Frank (Lefty" Rosenthal checked into a Mt. Sinai Hospital room Friday because he couldn't stomach a stretch in Dade County Jail.

"He entered the hospital just as he was supposed to start serving 10-days behind bars on an old traffic court conviction.

"Jail officials admitted they couldn't take care of an ulcer of the type which sent Rosenthal to a hospital bed.

"'In view of the volume of our cooking and high jail population,' said Sheriff's Lt. Harry Marcus, 'It would be impossible to prepare special meals for one prisoner.'

"Rosenthal's lawyers went before Metro Judge Fred Barad Friday to explain why their client shouldn't spend 10 days in jail.

"Rosenthal, they said, needs plenty of sweet milk each day plus a handful of pills for his ailing stomach.

"And the overcrowded conditions at the county jail, they added, would force their client to sleep on the floor and 'be deprived of decent facilities.'

"Barad declined to take any action until he could check out Rosenthal's condition and see if he is strong enough to spend 10 days behind bars.

"Rosenthal has avoided jail over a checkered gambling career that included fixing a North Carolina basketball game. That mistake cost him a $6,000 fine but no loss of time.

"His recent trouble started last year at Miami International Airport with an arrest for driving with a suspended license. When he failed to keep a court date the judge forfeited his $250 fine. Later, Rosenthal was sentenced to 10 days plus a $100 fine.

"His lawyers Friday told Barad that to make Rosenthal go to jail now on top of his financial setbacks would be 'cruel and inhuman punishment.'

GENERAL ACTIVITIES

On June 29, 1966, MM t-5 advised SA ROBERT F. FETZNER that FRANK ROSENTHAL and [redacted] the Walgreen Drug Store, 79th Street and Biscayne Boulevard, [redacted] b6 b7C b7D

On June 30, 1966, T-1 advised SA ROBERT F. FETZNER that FRANK ROSENTHAL is still doing a great deal of betting with MICKEY ZION. Source also stated that ROSENTHAL

had been recently seen visiting with RUBY LAZARUS and MICKEY ZION.

On July 11, 1966, an appropriate pretext telephone call was made to the Mt. Sinai Hospital, Miami Beach, Florida. It was ascertained that FRANK ROSENTHAL continues to be a patient at this hospital.

SUBSCRIBERS OF TELEPHONE NUMBERS CALLED BY PHONE SUBSCRIBED TO BY FRANK ROSENTHAL

Las Vegas telephone number 734-7110 is the listed phone for Caesar's Palace, Hotel-Casino, presently under construction in Las Vegas.

Prior investigation reflects that JERRY ZAROWITZ and ELLIOT PAUL PRICE of Boston will figure prominently in the operation of this above-mentioned hotel-casino.

Los Angeles phone number CR 4-7777 is listed to the Beverly Hilton Hotel, 7876 Wilshire Boulevard, Beverly Hills, California.

New York, New York telephone number CI 7-8000 is listed to the Park Sheraton Hotel, 7th Avenue and 55th Street.

New York, New York telephone number [redacted] is subscribed to by [redacted] Bronx, New York. b6 b7C

Prior investigation reflects that subject's [redacted] family.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to File No.

Miami, Florida
July 21, 1966

Title FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL

Character ANTI-RACKETEERING;
INTERSTATE GAMBLING ACTIVITIES

Reference Report of Special Agent [redacted] b6 b7C
[redacted] dated and captioned
as above at Miami, Florida

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Miami, Florida
July 21, 1966

RE: FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL
ANTI-RACKETEERING;
INTERSTATE GAMBLING ACTIVITIES

Reference is made to the report of Special Agent [redacted] dated and captioned as above at Miami, Florida. b6 b7C

The following is a characterization of the informants utilized in the above-referenced report:

MM T-1 is an individual who mingles with the criminal element on a daily basis in the Miami area.

MM T-2 is an individual in the Tampa Bay area who comes in contact with certain members of the gambling and hoodlum element.

MM T-3 is an individual who is acquainted with certain members of the gambling and hoodlum element in the Miami area.

MM T-4 is an individual who is acquainted with certain members of the gambling and hoodlum element in the Miami area.

MM T-5 is a businessman in the Miami area who comes in contact with certain members of the gambling and hoodlum element.

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SAC, Miami (92-726) 8/18/66

Director, FBI (92-6692)

FRANK LANG " LEFTY" ROSENTHAL, aka
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Bureau authority is granted to obtain records of toll calls made by the subject from telephones available to him.

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1 - Mr. Stefanek

The Attorney General September 28, 1966

Director, FBI

ELECTRONIC DEVICES

This will acknowledge receipt of the letter from Assistant Attorney General Vinson dated September 27, 1966, wherein he suggests that it may be advisable for this Bureau to maintain appropriate indices with respect to electronic surveillances and materials derived therefrom. Such indices are already in existence.

With reference to the observation concerning early advice of any electronic device in cases being prepared for prosecution, it should be noted that we are not aware at all times of all cases falling into this category. It would appear, therefore, incumbent on the Department, particularly in tax cases involving organized crime figures, to notify us of those matters which may be under consideration as to prosecution. If, in such matters, you will notify us of any intent as to prosecution, we will be happy to immediately furnish you with any pertinent information.

In the event you desire a Departmental representative to contact the Bureau concerning this matter, please feel free to communicate with Mr. DeLoach who is in a position to discuss this matter.

With reference to the statement in Mr. Vinson's letter of September 27, 1966, concerning the necessity of closing an important investigation in the Miami area because the evidence necessary to obtain a conviction was tainted, I assume Mr. Vinson is referring to the case involving Frank "Lefty" Rosenthal. By memorandum dated April 12, 1965, you were advised of the existence of our coverage on Rosenthal and you indicated your approval of that coverage on the original of that memorandum. It was not until November 23, 1965, long after you personally approved the microphone on Rosenthal that Rosenthal and his associates were arrested for violations of the gambling statutes.

The Deputy Attorney General

Mr. Fred M. Vinson, Jr.
Assistant Attorney General

NOTE: See memorandum J.H. Gale to DeLoach, same caption, 9/27/66, McA:tjm

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TO : Mr. DeLoach

DATE: September 27, 1966

FROM : J. H. Gale

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SUBJECT: ELECTRONIC DEVICES

In the attached memorandum from Fred M. Vinson, Jr., Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division, dated September 27, 1966, Vinson suggests it may be necessary and desirable for the Bureau to setup indices of individuals who may have been covered by electronic devices and who may be under consideration for prosecutive action.

The Director has instructed that Vinson be told that such an indices is already in operation and that if he feels the need to consult with any Bureau officials, Mr. DeLoach has been designated to handle the contact. The Director also inquired as to whether the statements in Vinson's letter to the effect that a gambling case in Miami had been closed because of prior electronic coverage were correct.

In his letter, Vinson is apparently referring to the gambling case which we developed on Frank "Lefty" Rosenthal in the Miami area. We did have confidential coverage on Rosenthal and Attorney General Katzenbach approved this coverage on our memo of April 12, 1965. Rosenthal was not arrested in the Miami case until November 28, 1965, well after the Attorney General had approved our confidential coverage. This fact is being called to the attention of the Attorney General and Mr. Vinson in the attached letter.

* (CONTINUANCE OF THE COVERAGE)

With reference to other statements made in Vinson's letter, we have made available to the Department, wherever requested, pertinent logs of our former confidential coverage. Our indices are adequate to handle any further contact by the Department in this regard. We are so advising Vinson in the attached letter to the Attorney General.

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There is attached for approval a letter to the Attorney General with copies to Vinson and to the Deputy Attorney General pointing out we have appropriate indices in operation; indicating

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that we are not always aware of cases in which the Department may have a prosecutive interest; suggesting that the Department should check with us whenever they contemplate prosecutive activity, particularly in tax cases involving organized crime figures and informing the Department that if they desire to further discuss this matter, Mr. DeLoach of the Bureau will be in a position to handle such contacts.

This letter also advises the Attorney General that he approved the coverage on Rosenthal on April 12, 1965, and points out that Rosenthal was not arrested until November 28, 1965.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

REPORTING OFFICE	OFFICE OF ORIGIN	DATE	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD
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TITLE OF CASE

FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL, aka

REPORT MADE BY [redacted] TYPED BY mbr

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REFERENCE: Report of SA [redacted] 7/21/66, at Miami.

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ENCLOSURES: (TO BUREAU)

Enclosed for the Bureau is the original and one copy of an LHM characterizing informants utilized in this report.

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MIAMI:

AT MIAMI, FLORIDA

Will follow activities of subject and related associates.

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Case has been: Pending over one year [X] Yes [ ] No; Pending prosecution over six months [ ] Yes [X] No

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-ADMINISTRATIVE-

On August 15, 1966, Departmental Attorney [redacted] advised that FRANK ROSENTHAL, through his attorney [redacted] is in the process of instituting a civil suit for the return of various items seized in a search executed on November 28, 1965 at the business address of Multiple Sports News Service. This address 1090 N. E. 79th Street, Miami, Florida.

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On August 15, 1966, Departmental Attorney [redacted] contacted the U. S. Attorney's Office, Los Angeles, California. He advised this office of the civil suit involving ROSENTHAL and the U. S. Government and also apprised them that the Department of Justice in Washington, D. C. had recommended that indictments be obtained regarding FRANK ROSENTHAL and SAMUEL GREEN. Indictments based on violations of Federal Gambling Statutes concerning activities of these individuals and [redacted] J.K.'s Sports Journal. Departmental Attorney [redacted] advised that he was to receive information from the U. S. Attorney's Office in Los Angeles in a few days relative to these matters.

On August 15, 1966, [redacted] Miami attorney who represents GILBERT LEE BECKLEY, related that FRANK ROSENTHAL was going to be called as a witness by BECKLEY in the Motion to Suppress Hearing. This hearing is to be held in the near future by U. S. District Judge C. CLYDE ATKINS.

It is surmised that the appearance of ROSENTHAL will be in connection with motions previously filed by defendant BECKLEY that the Government produce all tapes and recordings of conversations between defendant BECKLEY and FRANK ROSENTHAL.

On August 17, 1966, the Miami Division received permission from the Bureau to obtain long distance toll calls regarding telephone number 758-5559. This number is subscribed to by FRANK ROSENTHAL and utilized by same at his residence.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
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Copy to: 1 - U. S. Attorney, Miami, Florida
(Attention: Departmental Attorney

Report of: [redacted] Office: MIAMI, FLORIDA b6 b7C
Date: 8/18/66

Field Office File No.: 92-726 Bureau File No.: 92-6692

Title: FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL

Character: ANTI-RACKETEERING; INTERSTATE GAMBLING ACTIVITIES

Synopsis:

FRANK ROSENTHAL resides at 2123 N. E. 122nd Street, North Miami, Florida. Subject remains in position of sports consultant for MSNS, Miami, Florida. ROSENTHAL observed at the Federal gambling trial of JOHN PROKOS, CHRIST PROKOS and BILLY LEVITT.

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DETAILS:

AT NORTH MIAMI, FLORIDA

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

FRANK ROSENTHAL resides at 2123 N. E. 122nd Street, North Miami, Florida.

Subject drives a 1966 dark blue Oldsmobile bearing 1966 Florida license 1W59669.

ROSENTHAL's [redacted] lives b6 b7C
with [redacted]
North Miami, Florida.

BUSINESS ACTIVITIES

FRANK ROSENTHAL remains working as the sports consultant for Multiple Sports News Service (MSNS).

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As of this time the MSNS maintains their office suite at 1090 N. E. 79th Street, although daily line information is disseminated from the residence of SAMUEL GREEN, who is the "paper" president of MSNS. GREEN lives at 1865 N. E. 207th Street, Dade County, Florida.

GENERAL ACTIVITIES

On July 1, 1966, MM T-1 advised SA RALPH R. HILL, JR. that DAVE YARAS had been meeting at the Bayshore Club, Miami Beach, Florida, during the latter part of June, 1966 with various individuals, one of whom was LEFTY ROSENTHAL. Source stated that he believes ROSENTHAL [redacted] YARAS or one of his representatives. b6 b7C b7D

On August 2, 1966, MM T-2 advised that during the recent weeks she had observed FRANK ROSENTHAL in the company of [redacted] Source also stated that she had heard ROSENTHAL to be a frequent visitor at [redacted] Source further advised that on all occasions she has observed ROSENTHAL without his wife.

On August 16, 1966, MM T-3 advised that ROSENTHAL had [redacted] and she was [redacted] residence of FRANK ROSENTHAL.

Source advised that she had received information that ROSENTHAL was contemplating a trip to the newly opened Caesar's Palace in Las Vegas, Nevada, although she did not know the exact date of departure to the hotel-casino.

JUDICIAL PROCEEDINGS - FEDERAL TRIAL OF JOHN PROKOS, CHRIST PROKOS and BILLY LEVITT

On August 3, 1966, trial commenced in U. S. District Court, Miami, regarding above individuals. Subject was a daily spectator at the trial and was seen talking with defendants during all recesses.

On August 5, 1966, ROSENTHAL was observed conversing with defense attorney [redacted] and handed him certain written matter. After these observations, it was noted that the written matter was used by the defense attorney in asking questions in his cross-examination of SA [redacted] of the FBI Laboratory, Washington, D. C. These questions were directed to SA [redacted] in his capacity as an expert witness in the field of bookmaking.

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USE OF CREDIT CARD NUMBER 932-4739-K470, MONTREAL, CANADA. ITWI. OO: MIAMI

Investigation of captioned matter, as set forth above, reflected use of Canadian credit card by U. S. gambling figures.

A survey of calls made on this credit card reflects calls from Brookline, Massachusetts to the Miami telephone of FRANK ROSENTHAL. It is noted that Brookline, Massachusetts is the home town of nation-wide gambling figure ELLIOTT PRICE.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to File No.

Miami, Florida
August 18,1966

Title FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL

Character ANTI-RACKETEERING;
INTERSTATE GAMBLING ACTIVITIES

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August 18, 1966

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Reference is made to the report of Special Agent [redacted] dated and captioned as above at Miami, Florida. b6 b7C

The following is a characterization of the informants utilized in the above-referenced report:

MM T-1 is an individual who is in daily contact with certain members of the criminal element in the Chicago, Illinois, and Miami, Florida areas.

MM T-2 is an individual who because of her employment is in contact with certain members of the hoodlum and gambling element in the Miami area.

MM T-3 is an individual who is acquainted with certain members of the gambling and hoodlum element in the Miami area.

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MM T-3 is [redacted]

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AT MIAMI, FLORIDA

Will follow activities of subject and associates of same.

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Telephone Data

By letter dated August 18, 1966, the Bureau granted authority for the Miami Division to obtain toll records in regard to Miami telephone number 758-5559, which is subscribed to by FRANK ROSENTHAL.

Information regarding Miami telephone number [redacted] was obtained from [redacted] (PH) (Protect), [redacted] Little River, Florida. b6 b7C b7D

[redacted] Neighbor of Subject

Indices are negative regarding [redacted] present residents at [redacted] North Miami, Florida.

Chicago Division

The indices of the Chicago Division reveal that [redacted] received a phone call on August 23, 1964, from a phone listed to the residence of [redacted] Las Vegas, Nevada, a gambler then under investigation by that division. b6 b7C

Two phone calls from [redacted] residence were made on July 6, 1964, and August 23, 1964, to Chicago phone number [redacted] which was listed to [redacted] Interval Lounge, 506 North Michigan Avenue, Chicago.

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MM T-1 is [redacted] b6 b7C b7D

MM T-2 is [redacted]

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Copy to: 1 - United States Attorney, Miami
Attention: Departmental Attorney [redacted]

Report of: [redacted] Office: Miami, Florida
Date: October 11, 1966

Field Office File No.: 92-726 Bureau File No.: 92-6692

Title: FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL

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Character: ANTI-RACKETEERING;
INTERSTATE GAMBLING ACTIVITIES

Synopsis:

FRANK ROSENTHAL resides at 2123 Northeast 122nd Street, North Miami, Fla. On 9/7/66, [redacted] of divorce from subject. ROSENTHAL observed in company of DAVE YARAS and [redacted] On 9/16/66, ROSENTHAL in company of DOMINICK BLASI, SAM ENGLISH, FIORE BUCCIERI, "TURK" TORELLO, [redacted] and [redacted] at Giannotti's Restaurant, Chicago, Ill. Long-distance toll records set forth.

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DETAILS:

AT NORTH MIAMI, FLORIDA

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

FRANK ROSENTHAL resides at 2123 Northeast 122nd Street, North Miami, Florida.

Subject drives a 1966 dark blue Oldsmobile bearing 1966 Florida license 1W59669.

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DIVORCE PROCEEDINGS

On August 22, 1966, MM T-1 advised that FRANK ROSENTHAL and [redacted] according to source, stated that [redacted] 'LEFTY.'" Source indicated that [redacted]

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Source stated that [redacted] is [redacted] maintain a friendship with [redacted] Source felt that [redacted] feeling toward subject.

On September 26, 1966, MM T-1 advised that [redacted] that ROSENTHAL had little or no money and anything he did have in reserve would be used for lawyer fees. Source stated that [redacted]

On October 5, 1966, an appropriate check of court records at the Courthouse, Miami, Florida, reflected that on September 7, 1966, a final decree of divorce was awarded [redacted] by Circuit Court Judge FRANCIS J. CHRISTI. Parties were divorced a vinculo matrimonii. The decree also restored [redacted] maiden name, which is [redacted]

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[redacted] was represented in these proceedings by Attorney-at-Law [redacted] 420 Lincoln Road, Miami Beach, Florida.

GENERAL ACTIVITIES

On August 23, 1966, MM T-1 advised SA ROBERT A. COOK that [redacted] and ROSENTHAL have been visiting the Bayshore Country Club every day [redacted]

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On August 25, 1966, MM T-3 advised SA ROBERT A. COOK that he had heard "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL was getting his phones

back at Multiple Sports News Service and was again "going full blast."

[redacted]

On September 19, 1966, an unknown individual driving a late model bronze Cadillac bearing 1966 Florida license 1E 14157 was observed conversing with ROSENTHAL at the latter's residence.

An appropriate check of the above license reflected this license issued to A. A. HOLIDAY Rent-a-Car, 633 Northeast 79th Street, Miami.

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On September 20, 1966, a review of records at the above rental agency reflects this car is presently being leased to [redacted] North Miami, Florida.

On September 12, 1966, MM T-5 advised SA ROBERT F. FETZNER that FRANK ROSENTHAL had been coming over to the Sea Gull [redacted] According- b7D
ing to source, ROSENTHAL always wants to engage MICKEY ZION in some big stake card game, but ZION has been refusing to play ROSENTHAL in recent weeks.

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Investigation reflects that the [redacted] of FRANK ROSENTHAL are [redacted]

[redacted] drive a [redacted] b6
bearing 1966 Florida license [redacted] b7C

A review of the Telephone Directory for Greater Miami reflects that [redacted] is the subscriber to telephone number [redacted]

On August 23, 1966, IC [redacted] checked the records of the Credit Bureau of Greater Miami regarding [redacted]

[redacted] This record, dated May 26, 1966, reflected the following information:

Spouse
Present Address

Age
Race
Sex
Marital Status
Employment

Credit Rating
Legal Suits

[redacted]

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On August 23, 1966, IC [redacted] checked the records of the Miami Beach Police Department regarding [redacted] This report, dated February 24, 1960, reflected the following information regarding [redacted]

Race
Sex
Date of Birth
Place of Birth
Height
Weight
Hair
Eyes
Marital Status
Local Address

Employment

Previous Employment

Social Security
Number

[redacted]

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On August 23, 1966, IC [redacted] checked the records of the below-named agencies with negative results regarding [redacted] b6 b7C

Dade County Sheriff's Office
Miami Municipal Court
Miami Police Department

LOCAL NEWSPAPER ARTICLES REGARDING ACTIVITIES OF FRANK ROSENTHAL

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"Gambler Frank (Lefty) Rosenthal chose to run a stop sign right in front of the unmarked car of a Miami detective Saturday night, the miffed officer said.

"Detective John Czerenda said he had to brake his car to avoid hitting Rosenthal's as it zipped out of NE 83rd St. at 10th Ave.

"Czerenda said he recognized Rosenthal's license plate and took after the 37-year-old dealer-in-odds-and-end-zones his red light flashing. It took five blocks to make the stop, Czerenda said.

"Rosenthal will explain his haste in Metro Court Sept. 12.

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"It was the second time this summer that Rosenthal's ulcer had been kicking up.

"The first time he was supposed to start serving a 10-day jail sentence on an old traffic conviction.

"But instead, Lefty entered a hospital, saying he needed plenty of sweet milk for his ulcer.

"The jail doesn't serve sweet milk, argued lawyers for ulcer-ridden Rosenthal, and besides it's too crowded and their client would have to sleep on the floor.

"At the time, Metro Judge Fred Barad withheld action, saying he would check out Rosenthal's condition.

"That was on July 9. Lefty never went to jail.

"He is appealing the conviction.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date July 26, 1966

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The records of [redacted]

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On 7/20/66 at Chicago, Illinois File # Chicago 165-94

by IC [redacted] /smw Date dictated 7/22/66

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The Chicago Credit Bureau records as checked by IC [redacted] on June 25, 1965, indicate that [redacted] b6 b7C resides at [redacted] Skokie, Illinois, and previously resided in Beverly Hills, California. His wife is shown as [redacted] Chicago, and the previous [redacted] Chicago, Illinois.

The records of the Skokie Police Department and those of the Evanston Credit Bureau, as checked by SA ROBERT F. PEVAHOUSE on July 16, 1965, contained no information concerning [redacted] The records of the Chicago Police Department, as checked by IC [redacted] contained no record of [redacted]

Previous investigation reflects that ANTHONY (TONY) SPILOTRO is a close associate of subject.

On September 16, 1966, Agents of the Chicago Division made inquiry at Giannotti's Restaurant. Upon entry into the restaurant, they were advised that SAMUEL GIANCANA had fled the restaurant by the rear door. This information was verified also by Chicago hoodlum GEORGE COLUCCI.

In addition, the following Chicago hoodlums were observed at the restaurant:

DOMINICK "BUTCH" BALSI
SAM ENGLISH
CHARLES ENGLISH
FIORE BUCCIERI
"TURK" TORELLO
[redacted] b6 b7C
FRANK ROSENTHAL

Earlier in the evening of September 16, 1966, subject was observed in the company of DAVE YARAS, FRANK BUCCIERI and JOSEPH FERRIOLD at Duncan YMCA on the west side of Chicago.

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In Reply, Please Refer to File No.

Miami, Florida
October 11, 1966

Title FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL

Character ANTI-RACKETEERING;
INTERSTATE GAMBLING ACTIVITIES

Reference Report of Special Agent [redacted] b6 b7C
[redacted] dated and captioned as above at Miami, Florida.

All sources (except any listed below) whose identities are concealed in referenced communication have furnished reliable information in the past.

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The following is a characterization of the informants utilized in above-referenced report:

MM T-1 is an individual who is acquainted with certain members of the gambling and hoodlum element in the Miami area.

MM T-2 is an individual who because of her employment is in contact with certain members of the hoodlum and gambling element in the Miami area.

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REPORTING OFFICE	OFFICE OF ORIGIN	DATE	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD
Miami	Miami	10/11/66	7/20 - 10/7/66

TITLE OF CASE

FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL, aka

REPORT MADE BY [redacted] TYPED BY :Jm

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- REFERENCES -

Report of SA [redacted] dated 8/18/66, at Miami.
Chicago teletype to the Bureau dated 9/19/66, captioned SAMUEL M. GIANCANA, aka; AR, OO: Chicago.

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- ENCLOSURES -

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- ADMINISTRATIVE -

Telephone Data

Information regarding Miami telephone No. [redacted] obtained from [redacted] (protect), [redacted] Little River, Florida.

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- INFORMANTS -

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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(Attention: Departmental Attorney [redacted]

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Report of: [redacted] Office: Miami, Florida
Date: 11/14/66

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Synopsis:

FRANK ROSENTHAL resides at 2123 NE 122nd St., N. Miami, Fla. On 10/13 and 28/66, subject observed at Orange Bowl, Miami, Fla. ROSENTHAL observed on 10/18/66, USDC, Washington, D. C., at trial of JOSEPH NESLINE and CHARLES TOURINE. On 10/26/66, ROSENTHAL observed at judicial proceedings in Third District Court of Appeals, Miami. Subject in frequent contact with MORTON KANE.

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DETAILS

At North Miami, Florida:

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

FRANK ROSENTHAL resides at 2123 N. E. 122nd Street, North Miami, Florida.

Subject drives a 1966 dark blue Oldsmobile bearing 1966 Florida License 1W-59669.

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JUDICIAL PROCEEDINGS - LOCAL

A. Traffic Violation

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"Gambler Frank (Lefty) Rosenthal has never spent a day in jail. And he doesn't intend to break that record just for a traffic ticket.

"In one of the most hotly contested appeals in the history of Metro Court, Rosenthal is still battling a 10-day jail sentence handed him for driving while his license was suspended.

"Yesterday in the Third District Court of Appeal here, his lawyers argued that Rosenthal's conviction was illegal because the prosecution should have proved he was guilty of each of the traffic offenses which resulted in his running up 12 points and losing his license for 30 days.

"Rosenthal already has fought the case in Circuit Court and lost there. The battle over his jail sentence has gone on so long that Rosenthal has been in a series of other driving difficulties since.

"Rosenthan, a sports consultant by his definition and an interstate odds-maker according to the FBI, has also been in and out of such other charges as transmitting race information across state lines and using an electronic "black box" to avoid paying for long distance calls.

"He also is a notable fan of Orange Bowl football games and has showed up at recent high school games in the company of local bookies such as Mickey Zion and Freddie (Blabs) Romansh.

"Rosenthal's 10-day sentence had its beginning 17 months ago when he drove a friend to Miami International Airport. A deputy on the upper ramp there said he almost ran over a pedestrian and asked to see his driver's license.

'Lefty said the license was home in his other coat and Deputy R. Donofrio politely gave him a routine ticket for failing to have it on his person. The deputy told Rosenthal to bring the license into court and all would be well.

"Rosenthal couldn't very well do that and he didn't. Instead, he sent attorney Harvey St. Jean, who appeared at walk-in court - minus Rosenthal - a few days before the court date set on the ticket. That meant the deputy wasn't present.

"Court records show that Metro Judge Arthur Maginnis fined Rosenthal $25 in absentia on a plea of guilty to not having his license along. Nothing was said about a suspension. The judge remembers the matter with some embarrassment.

"St. Jean said something about the airport and I assumed his man had gone out of town," recalls Maginnis.

"But when Deputy Donofrio found out what became of his case, he wrote Tallahassee and discovered the 30-day license suspension. He then came into Metro Court on June 11 and swore out a warrant against Rosenthal for driving while suspended.

"The case was continued several times because St. Jean was himself out of town or in another court. Then on Sept. 9, 1965, Rosenthal failed to show in court before Judge Frederick Barad for trial. His lawyer had no explanation.

"'Your honor, we had a call and he (Rosenthal) will just not be available,' said attorney Ronald Strauss, of St. Jean's law firm. 'That is the only information I have received.'

"Judge Barad was irked and confiscated Rosenthal's bond. He also sent for a deputy, issued a bench warrant and by that evening Rosenthal was arrested and at county jail where he put up $500 bond.

"The next trial date was Nov. 18. Rosenthal's attorneys asked Barad to disqualify himself because he was prejudiced. Barad refused and found Rosenthal guilty.

"A few months later, between appeals, Rosenthal sent an attorney to Barad to suggest he serve his 10 days in the hospital where he was confined for a duodenal ulcer. Barad refused the suggestion."

B. Appellate Proceedings - Multiple Sports News Service

On October 26, 1966, a three-judge panel composed of judges in the Third District Court of Appeals, Miami, sat to hear an appeal based on the denial of a permanent injunction by Circuit Judge HARVEY S. DUVAL, Miami. The judges hearing this appeal were FRANCIS X. KNUCK, TILLMAN PEARSON and RICHARD H. MAX SWANN.

The permanent injunction which was denied by Circuit Judge DUVAL was in regard to the discontinuance of phone service for the business enterprise of Multiple

Sports News Service, 1090 N. E. 79th Street, Miami, Florida. Phone service was discontinued at the request of the Attorney General, State of Florida, in view of the illegal use of phone service.

ROSENTHAL, the alleged sports consultant of this enterprise, was observed in the court room during this proceeding.

FEDERAL COURT PROCEEDINGS - WASHINGTON, D. C.
OCTOBER 18, 1966

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ROSENTHAL, during the course of the trial proceeding, was observed in conversation with both defendants, [redacted] and Attorney [redacted] b6 b7C

In regard to this trial appearance by subject, it is also noted that ROSENTHAL was observed on October 17, 1966, at the Miami International Airport departing for Baltimore, Maryland, and subject was observed on October 18, 1966, at the National Airport, Washington, D. C., preparing to depart by National Airlines to Miami, Florida.

ACTIVITIES OF SUBJECT -
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"We feel this extends to any employee of the University of Miami or the Miami Dolphins,' Bassett said. 'Are we to assume that any fellow who fixes the electric wiring or the plumbing can make an arrest?'

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"The News had run pictures of Rosenthal and other gambling figures congregated at the Orange Bowl during a high school football game.

"The attorney, John E. Bassett, said he would file the suit later today on behalf of Rosenthal and Martin Kane, whom Bassett described as 'an associate or a friend of Mr. Rosenthal.'"

On October 23, 1966, FRANK ROSENTHAL was observed at the Orange Bowl prior to the University of Southern California versus University of Miami football game. He was in conversation with MORTON PAUL KANE, MARTIN SKLAROFF and [redacted]

GENERAL ACTIVITIES

On September 22, 1966, MM T-1 advised that CHARLES KAUFMAN, RUBY LAZARUS, [redacted] IRVING ZION and ABE BROWN obtain the "line" from FRANK "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL, and they pass it along to some of the other bookmakers. b6 b7C b7D

On October 13, 1966, MM T-2 advised SA ROBERT A. COOK that FRANK ROSENTHAL was at the Bayshore Golf Course, Miami Beach, Florida, on [redacted] 1966, and stayed for about [redacted] Source indicated that ROSENTHAL frequents the club on a daily basis even though the card room is now closed. Usually with ROSENTHAL are [redacted] and occasionally DAVE YARAS.

On October 4, 1966, MM T-1 advised SA ROBERT F. FETZNER that JOHN PROKOS gets the "line" from FRANK ROSENTHAL's wire service and then passes on the information to some of his close bookmaking associates [redacted]

ASSOCIATES

MORTON PAUL KANE,
also known as MARTY

KANE, who resides at 2162 N. E. 122nd Road, North Miami, Florida, is known to be working for the BECKLEY bookmaking office in Miami, Florida.

During the period of this report, subject has been seen in frequent contact with KANE. These individuals have been observed together in Miami and Miami Beach.

[redacted] who resides at [redacted] North Miami, Florida, is a frequent companion of subject.

On October 17, 1966, IC [redacted] checked the records of the Miami Beach Police Department regarding [redacted] This record dated February 23, 1956, reflected the following information: b6 b7C

Race:
Sex:
Born:

Height:
Weight:
Hair:
Eyes:
Marital Status:
Local Address:

Northern Address:

Employment:

[redacted] DATA

Information developed that ROSENTHAL recently [redacted] b7D

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Date 10/21/66

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On 10/12/66 at Miami, Florida File # Miami 92-726

by IC [redacted] jaj Date dictated 10/18/66

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to File No.

Miami, Florida
November 14, 1966

Title FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL

Character ANTI-RACKETEERING;
INTERSTATE GAMBLING ACTIVITIES

Reference Report of Special Agent [redacted] dated and captioned as above, at Miami, Florida.

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REPORTING OFFICE	OFFICE OF ORIGIN	DATE	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD
MIAMI	MIAMI	12/16/66	10/13/66 - 12/14/66

TITLE OF CASE

FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL, aka

REPORT MADE BY [redacted] TYPED BY jd

CHARACTER OF CASE

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REFERENCE: Report of SA [redacted] 11/14/66, at Miami.

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ENCLOSURES TO THE BUREAU

Enclosed for the Bureau are the original and one copy of a letterhead memorandum characterizing the informants utilized in this report.

LEADS

MIAMI

AT MIAMI, FLORIDA

Will follow activities of subject and associates.

Case has been: Pending over one year [X] Yes [ ] No; Pending prosecution over six months [ ] Yes [X] No

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Telephone Data

Information regarding Miami telephone number [redacted] obtained from [redacted] (protect), [redacted] Little River, Florida.

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INFORMANTS

MM T-1 is [redacted]

MM T-2 is [redacted]

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Report of: [redacted] Office: Miami, Florida

Date: 12/16/66

Field Office File #: 92-726 Bureau File #: 92-6692

Title: FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL

Character: ANTI-RACKETEERING;
INTERSTATE GAMBLING ACTIVITIES

Synopsis:

FRANK ROSENTHAL resides at 2123 N.E. 122nd Street, North Miami, Fla. Subject observed in the company of MORTON PAUL KANE. On 11/22/66, Third District Ct. of Appeals, Miami, affirmed decision of Circuit Judge HARVEY DUVAL re discontinuance of phone service at Multiple Sports Service, Miami. Subject filed suit re Orange Bowl ban on bookmakers and sport fixers.

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DETAILS:

AT NORTH MIAMI, FLORIDA

Background Information

FRANK ROSENTHAL resides at 2123 N.E. 122nd Street, North Miami, Florida.

Subject is driving a 1966 dark blue Oldsmobile, bearing 1966 Florida license 1W-59669.

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General Activities

On October 13, 1966, T-1 advised SA ROBERT F. FETZNER that there is a great deal of interest displayed by the hoodlum element in high school games that take place in the Orange Bowl in Miami, Florida. He understands a great deal is bet on these high school games, but has not heard or seen any indications where any players or coaches are involved.

According to source, the following individuals are prominent by their attendance:

FRANK ROSENTHAL
[redacted]
IRVING ZION
[redacted]
JOHN PROKOS
RUBY LAZARUS
[redacted]

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On November 7, 1966, SA [redacted] and SA BENJAMIN P. GROGAN observed subject's automobile parked in front of the residence of MORTON KANE, 2162 N.E. 122nd Road. MIAMI, FLA Morton Paul Kane

During the evening hours of the same day, SA JOHN C. PHELPS observed FRANK ROSENTHAL and MORTON KANE at the intersection of 38th Street and Biscayne Boulevard, in ROSENTHAL's automobile.

On November 15, 1966, SA [redacted] observed subject and MORTON KANE entering the lobby of the Bayshore Golf Club House, Miami Beach, Florida.

On November 29, 1966, T-2 advised SA ROBERT A. COOK that she had received information that ROSENTHAL had recently been in the Chicago area, although now was back in Miami.

JUDICIAL PROCEEDINGS

A. Local Traffic Court

The following article appeared in the "Miami Herald", a newspaper in Miami, on November 16, 1966. The article was captioned "LEFTY Gains Not; Offside Says Judge":

"FRANK (LEFTY) ROSENTHAL, a man who relishes the sporting life, tried to prove in traffic court Tuesday the old football axiom that the best defense is a good offense.

He did't pick up much yardage, however. Metro Judge ARTHUR MAGINNIS penalized him $25 for being offside at a stop sign.

LEFTY, 37, a convicted basketball fixer and oddsmaker, attempted to produce his scrapbook of criminal offenses to show police had good reason to harass him for 'the slightest provacation.'

Acting as his own defense attorney, the tall gambler with thinning blond hair argued that the policemen who ticketed him for running a stop sign last August 19, were part of a plot to make his life miserable. As proof, he offered to introduce his police record as Exhibit A.

'In this court,' replied MAGINNIS to the plea, 'we're not concerned with a criminal record. We're concerned only with your traffic offenses and the charges against you.'

The judge then tapped a thick folder in front of him and opened it.

'Here's a record of your past traffic offenses,' he told the defendant-lawyer.

'I see you're under a conviction for driving while your license was under revocation.'

'But that is under appeal,' retorted LEFTY.

The judge returned to the folder.

'I see this is the first ticket issued you by the Miami police special enforcement squad,' MAGINNIS said. 'If they've been following you for two years as closely as you claim . . . and there's just one arrest . . . I don't see that there's been much harassment.'

The judge banged his gavel. 'Twenty dollars and court costs,' he ordered.

LEFTY grumbled, but paid the $25 and stalked from the halls of justice."

B. Removal of phone service - Multiple Sports News Service

The following article captioned "Phone Ban Sticks in Court; Odds Bad for Bookie Service", appeared in the "Miami Herald" newspaper on November 24, 1966:

"A telephone ban against Multiple Sports News Service, based on a circuit court judge's ruling that the firm's phones were used to further illegal gambling, was upheld Wednesday by the Third District Court of Appeal.

The ruling may lead to a permanent crippling of the bookie service, investigators said.

After a federal raid on Multiple Sports November 28, 1965, Southern Bell yanked the phones from the service's office at 1090 N.E. 79th Street.

Multiple Sports hasn't missed a day of action since the FBI raid.

The firm, which disseminates betting odds on sports events to bookies, simply moved its operation to President SAM SOLOMON GREEN's plush house at 1865 N.E. 207th Street.

The phone is WIlson 7-6439.

Southern Bell removed the phones from the 79th Street location at the direction of the Florida Attorney General's Office under a state law prohibiting the use of phone wires to further gambling.

Multiple Sports, run mainly by convicted basketball fixer FRANK (LEFTY) ROSENTHAL, sought an injunction against the phone company's action.

But Circuit Judge HARVIE DUVAL said evidence was clear that the sports service furthered gambling.

On appeal, Multiple Sports argued that DUVAL established only an "inference" of gambling ties.

The Third District panel unanimously affirmed DUVAL's ruling. Attorney LARRY HOFFMAN, representing Multiple Sports, said he'll request a re-hearing.

The decision could lead to a phone shut-down at any location used by the mob-backed sports service to provide gambling odds.

Five bookie services across the nation establish point spreads and other odds used by professional gamblers. Investigators say the action is largely coordinated by Mafia and Las Vegas gangsters.

The operations of Multiple Sports were detailed by "The Herald" in October, 1965, but no local-agency action resulted."

C. Orange Bowl Ban - Municipal Ordinance

On December 13, 1966, the following article appeared in the "Miami Herald" newspaper captioned "LEFTY Plays It Pretty Clam-ish":

"FRANK (LEFTY) ROSENTHAL showed up Monday to answer questions in his legal fight to get the gambling fraternity back into the Orange Bowl, but shut up like a clam when newsmen tried to listen in.

LEFTY, a balding blond once convicted of fixing a college basketball game, boiled when deputy City Attorney JACK R. RICE, JR. refused to order the press out of his office as ROSENTHAL prepared to give a deposition.

'This is a public office,' remarked RICE.

'I think this man is being treated like some kind of animal,' complained ROSENTHAL's attorney, JOHN BASSETT, pointing to his tight-lipped client.

ROSENTHAL is attempting to prove in court that a new Miami ordinance barring convicted gamblers from attending sporting events at the Orange Bowl is illegal. A Circuit Court judge last month refused, at ROSENTHAL's request, to issue an injunction to prevent the city from booting him out of the stadium.

But the judge remarked at the time that the ordinance may have been illegally passed or even unconstitutional.

BASSETT argued Monday that some of the questions that were to beaasked by RICE may not be admissible at a hearing once the suit comes to court. It would not be fair to his client to have the questions -- and the answers -- played around in the press if they later were ruled objectionable, BASSETT said.

At RICE's request, the newsmen agreed to leave the room so the deposition could be obtained without further delay to the city."

[redacted] CONTACTS

Investigation reflects that FRANK ROSENTHAL has recently [redacted] b7D

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Date December 14, 1966

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by IC [redacted] rm Date dictated 12/14/66

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AUXILIARY OFFICES

Chicago Division

Chicago telephone number AR 1-9040 is listed to the Bethany Methodist Hospital, 5025 North Paulina.

Hinsdale, Illinois, telephone number 654-2800 is listed to Stouffer's Oakbrook Inn.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Miami, Florida
December 16, 1966

In Reply, Please Refer to File No.

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ANTI-RACKETEERING;
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MIAMI	MIAMI	1/18/67	12/2/66-1/13/67

TITLE OF CASE

FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL, Aka

REPORT MADE BY [redacted] TYPED BY jaj

CHARACTER OF CASE

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REFERENCE: Miami report of SA [redacted] 12/16/66. sec 62

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MIAMI:

AT MIAMI, FLORIDA

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Case has been: Pending over one year [X] Yes [ ] No; Pending prosecution over six months [ ] Yes [X] No

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TELEPHONE DATA:

Information regarding Miami telephone numbers [redacted] obtained from [redacted] (protect), [redacted] Little River, Florida. b6 b7C b7D

On January 9, 1967, [redacted] (protect), [redacted] Miami, Florida, advised that SAMUEL GREEN, a close associate of FRANK ROSENTHAL, had made several telephone calls during the last six weeks to ROSENTHAL at Oak Park, Illinois, telephone number EU 3-7651. He advised that this number is subscribed to by ANTHONY SPILOTRO, 1102 South Maple, Oak Park, Illinois.

BOSTON DIVISION:

Boston indices negative regarding [redacted] b6 b7C

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At [redacted] Long Island, New York

On December 20, 1966, [redacted] (former Special Agent), Assistant District Attorney, Nassau County, advised that [redacted] associate of FRANK ROSENTHAL and [redacted] the GILBERT LEE BECKLEY bookmaking office, was [redacted] Miami December 21, 1966. [redacted] advised that a confidential source close to [redacted] with GIL BECKLEY and [redacted] New Orleans, Louisiana. b6 b7C b7D

Assistant District Attorney [redacted] advised that due to the sensitive nature of the information received regarding [redacted] no press coverage or other open inquiries should be made regarding [redacted] the Miami area.

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INFORMANTS:

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Copy to: 1 - U.S. Attorney, Miami, Florida
Attention: Departmental Attorney

Report of: [redacted] Office: Miami, Florida
Date: 1/18/67

Field Office File No.: 92-726 Bureau File No.: 92-6692

Title: FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL

Character: ANTI-RACKETEERING;
INTERSTATE GAMBLING ACTIVITIES

Synopsis:

FRANK ROSENTHAL not observed at his North Miami, Fla., residence, 2123 NE 122nd St., during month of 12/66 and up to 1/13/67. ROSENTHAL observed at residence of FIORE BUCCIERI, Berwyn, Ill., on 12/16/66. [redacted] of subject observed at Miami Beach Convention Hall on 12/27-28/66. Long distance toll information set forth.

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DETAILS:

AT NORTH MIAMI, FLORIDA

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

FRANK ROSENTHAL resides at 2123 NE 122nd Street, North Miami, Florida.

Subject drives a 1966 dark blue Oldsmobile bearing 1966 Florida license 1W-59669.

On January 9, 1967, [redacted] Hamilton Realty, Inc., 11805 Biscayne Boulevard, North Miami, Florida, related the following information concerning FRANK ROSENTHAL:

She stated that FRANK ROSENTHAL's lease expired in June, 1966, for his residence at 2123 NE 122nd Street. Since June, 1966, he has been leasing the residence on a month-to-month basis. Several weeks ago [redacted] Hamilton Realty, Inc., suggested to subject that he find

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another residence as he was no longer considered an appropriate tenant for this residence. According to [redacted] ROSENTHAL voluntarily stated that he would move sometime during the end of January, 1967 or early February, 1967. He also stated that he was spending a great deal of time in the Chicago, Illinois area and would probably move to this city in the not too distant future.

During the period of this report, FRANK ROSENTHAL has not been observed in the Miami, Florida area.

[redacted]

[redacted] of ROSENTHAL, is currently residing [redacted] at [redacted] North Miami, Florida.

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On January 9, 1967, [redacted] Hamilton Realty, Inc., advised that [redacted] from their residence at [redacted] as of December 30, 1966. She stated that [redacted] the fact that [redacted] in the apartment which was a violation of the original lease agreement. She further stated that other reasons [redacted] but she could not go into detail. She reflected that [redacted] of FRANK ROSENTHAL, who lived in the proximity of the [redacted] residence.

Spot checks at the above residence reflect the presence of a 1966 maroon Oldsmobile bearing 1966 Florida license [redacted] This automobile is known to be driven by [redacted]

[redacted] INFORMATION:

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Investigation reflects that [redacted] to [redacted]

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Date December 6, 1966

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Date December 6, 1966

The records of [redacted]

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Investigation reflects that [redacted] continue residence [redacted] North Miami, Florida.

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BUSINESS INTERESTS:

FRANK ROSENTHAL continues to carry the title of Sports Consultant for Multiple Sports News Service, which has a business office at 1090 NE 79th Street, Miami, Florida.

On January 6, 1967, MM T-1 advised that MARTIN SKLAROFF contacted subject [redacted] in Chicago, Illinois attempting with Multiple Sports News Service. b7D ROSENTHAL advised that at the present time he did not [redacted]

GENERAL ACTIVITIES:

On December 12, 1966, MM T-2 overheard a conversation between BILLY FALBO, a professional comedian, and FIORE BUCCIERI. According to source, FALBO came to see BUCCIERI inasmuch as he did not have a contract for his engagement on March 17, 1967, at Caesar's Palace in Las Vegas, Nevada. BUCCIERI told FALBO not to worry about this matter and that "LEFTY" had just left Chicago but would be back on Sunday. BUCCIERI stated he would have JOSEPH FERRIORA contact "LEFTY" and straighten out this matter.

On December 16, 1966, FRANK ROSENTHAL was observed leaving FIORE BUCCIERI's residence in Berwyn, Illinois. ROSENTHAL was driving a vehicle registered in the name of ANTHONY SPILOTRO's wife, a well known jewel thief and hoodlum in the Chicago area. ROSENTHAL drove directly to ANTHONY SPILOTRO's residence, 1102 Maple, Oak Park, Illinois.

On January 10, 1967, MM T-3 advised that FRANK ROSENTHAL was currently in the Chicago area and in the near future would set up permanent residence in his former hometown. Source stated further that ROSENTHAL's [redacted] was now residing [redacted] North Miami, Florida.

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ASSOCIATE - [redacted]

[redacted] presently residing in the New York City area, was formerly associated with FRANK ROSENTHAL in sports fixing activities. Present investigation reflects that [redacted] BECKLEY bookmaking operation.

On December 21, 1966, [redacted] accompanied by [redacted] checked into the Fontainebleau Hotel, 4441 Collins Avenue, Miami Beach, Florida.

On December 27 and 28, 1966, [redacted] was observed at the Miami Beach Convention Hall attending the Hurricane Basketball Classic. On both dates he was not observed with any of the Miami area bookmaking or gambling figures.

On January 29, 1966, [redacted] left Miami and returned to New York City. During his entire visit subject was not observed in the company of [redacted] b6 b7C

NEWSPAPER ARTICLES:

ORANGE BOWL ANTI-BOOKMAKING ORDINANCE

The following articles appeared in the "Miami Herald" newspaper on the below listed dates:

December 18, 1966:

"'No Briber or Bookie,'
'LEFTY' Tells the Court

"When the gates of the Orange Bowl were locked on FRANK 'LEFTY' ROSENTHAL this fall, the dapper playboy-gambler gave his season tickets to his ex-father-in-law.

"Then he went to court.

"'Unfair, unconstitutional,' cried LEFTY about Miami's new 'undesirables' law, which keeps bookies and bribers and others of ill-repute from places like the Orange Bowl.

"LEFTY hasn't been arrested under the law. He hasn't even been ejected from the Orange Bowl. But he is sure the law was meant for him.

"A policeman told him so. Besides, it's 'common knowledge he said, that if I attended a University of Miami sporting event that I would be ejected.'

"So to open up the Orange Bowl gates, LEFTY set his record straight in a sworn statement taken by Assistant City Attorney JACK RICE in preliminaries for a Circuit Court hearing on his suit Tuesday.

"RICE asked for ROSENTHAL's records on bookmaking activities.

"'I am not a bookmaker, so I wouldn't have any records,' LEFTY said.

"RICE asked for bribery records.

"'I am not a briber,' LEFTY replied.

"RICE asked about ROSENTHAL's conviction in North Carolina for fixing a college basketball game.

"'I don't know if I was convicted or not,' said LEFTY. 'That's a matter of opinion. As far as I'm concerned, I wasn't.'

"But then LEFTY said he was fined $6,000 and paid the fine, though it is his understanding, 'that the case I was involved in has never been adjudicated.'

"LEFTY's lawyer, JOHN BASSETT, added that his client had pleaded no contest to the charge.

"RICE asked LEFTY where he is employed.

"'Multiple Sports and News Service.'

"'What does it deal in?" asked RICE.

"'Publishes sporting news and it is also a handicap service.'

"The business has been hampered somewhat since Florida Attorney General EARL FAIRCLOTH ordered the telephone service to LEFTY's company discontinued.

"'We are appealing FAIRCLOTH's orders,' said LEFTY.

"Multiple Sports and News Service is located at 1090 NE 79th St., and RICE asked if it had been used in bookmaking activities.

"'No, pisitively not,' LEFTY replied. 'Oh, no, no sir. Never ever.'

"RICE asked if the business was still in business.

"'Some of the business is still being continued,' LEFTY said. He did not elaborate.

"LEFTY said he is a 'sports consultant' working for SAMUEL GREEN, president.

"The questioning turned to LEFTY's welcome at some other sports arenas in the Miami area.

"ROSENTHAL said he was shown the door at the Miami Jai-Alai Fronton because security police 'told me my name was on a list.'

"The race tracks are not begging LEFTY for his business.

"At one, possibly two tracks, reminisced ROSENTHAL, they told him that 'the Florida State Racing Commission did not care to have me on their - - -on the location.'

"But Florida, he explained, 'is the only state that I am not allowed to go to a track.'

"RICE asked a lot of questions about LEFTY's arrest record, but LEFTY wouldn't answer them, on advice of counsel.

"LEFTY did give his address--2123 NE 122nd St., North Miami--but not his phone number."

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December 21, 1966:

"Bookie Ban Held Invalid

"A Circuit Court judge blew the whistle on Miami's 'anti-gambler' ordinance Tuesday and said the city was out of bounds when it tried to keep suspected bookies away from stadiums such as the Orange Bowl.

"Judge GRADY L. CRAWFORD held the ordinance was invalid, and said he'd set down all the reasons in a written opinion later this week.

"The court's test case was sparked by FRANK (LEFTY) ROSENTHAL, convicted basketball game fixer.

"ROSENTHAL contended that he 'comes within the classification' set up by the city and thus was persona non grata at the stadium.

"What's more, ROSENTHAL said, he had to forego use of his season tickets to University of Miami football games. This, he claimed, was in effect a seizure of his property rights to the tickets in violation of his constitutional rights.

"Attorney JOHN BASSETT, representing ROSENTHAL, had pleaded that the ordinance, passed as an emergency measure, was pushed through without a referendum or vote of the people and without any emergency being shown.

"'I am not prepared to rule on whether the ordinance was legally passed or not,' Judge CRAWFORD said, 'but I am convinced that the ordinance as passed is invalid.'

"BASSETT told the judge that such an authority would permit those leasing the stadium to 'single out certain persons as moral lepers and determine they are guilty until proven innocent.'"

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December 24, 1966:

"Miami Maps Appeal For Anti-Bookie Law

"The City of Miami will ask the State Supreme Court to rule the city's 'anti-gambler' ordinance valid.

"Circuit Court Judge GRADY L. CRAWFORD has voided the ordinance. He said he would present his reasons later.

"The court test of the ordinance to keep suspected bookies away from stadiums, including the Orange Bowl, was brought by FRANK (LEFTY) ROSENTHAL, gambler and convicted basketball game fixer.

""We are going to appeal,' Assistant City Attorney JACK WRIGHT said Thursday.

"Since the issue involves the constitutionality of the ordinance, the city will appeal directly to the Supreme Court.

"ROSENTHAL had argued that he had season tickets to the University of Miami football games; he fell within the group of 'moral lepers' banned from stadiums by the ordinance, and that the city, in effect, seized his property rights to the tickets in violation of his constitutional rights."

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INVESTIGATION OF AUXILIARY OFFICES:

BOSTON DIVISION:

AT BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS

Records of [redacted] b6 b7C b7D

DENVER DIVISION:

AT DENVER, COLORADO

SA WILLIAM J. MALONE determined on December 20, 1966, through a pretext telephone call that Denver telephone number 297-1521 is listed to the "Denver Post" information service, Denver, Colorado. The "Denver Post" is an afternoon daily newspaper published in the Denver area.

It was further learned during this pretext call that the information service of the Post looks up various items called into them by the public, including scores of sporting events. The male voice answering this phone at the Post advised he usually gets scores shortly before they are published in the Post and also pointed out that if he did not have current scores on sporting events, he would transfer the call to the "Denver Post" sports department, who would attempt to get a current score on a certain sporting event. He pointed out the "Denver Post" has a sports ticker tape which keeps them currently advising of scores.

LAS VEGAS DIVISION:

AT LAS VEGAS, NEVADA

Las Vegas telephone directory reflects a listing of [redacted] to [redacted] Las Vegas, Nevada. It is noted that [redacted] JERRY ZAROWITZ. b6 b7C

[redacted] CONTACT:

Investigation reflects that FRANK ROSENTHAL is the [redacted] b7D

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Date December 6, 1966

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The records of [redacted]

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On 12/2/66 at Miami, Florida File # Miami 92-726

by IC [redacted] bab Date dictated 12/6/66

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Miami, Florida
January 18, 1967

In Reply, Please Refer to File No.

Title FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL

Character ANTI-RACKETEERING;
INTERSTATE GAMBLING ACTIVITIES

Reference Report of Special Agent [redacted] dated and captioned as above at Miami, Florida.

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Miami, Florida
January 18, 1967

Re: FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL
ANTI-RACKETEERING;
INTERSTATE GAMBLING ACTIVITIES

Reference is made to the report of Special Agent [redacted] dated and captioned as above at Miami, Florida. b6 b7C

The following is a characterization of the informants utilized in the above-referenced report:

MM T-1 is an individual who is in daily contact with certain gambling figures in the Miami area.

MM T-2 is an individual who is familiar with the hoodlum and gambling element in the Chicago area.

MM T-3 is an individual who is acquainted with certain members of the gambling and hoodlum element in the Miami area.

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ENCODED MESSAGE

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Mr. Mohr
Mr. Wick
Mr. Casper
Mr. Callahan
Mr. Conrad
Mr. Felt
Mr. Gale
Mr. Rosen
Mr. Sullivan
Mr. Tavel
Mr. Trotter
Tele. Room
Miss Holmes
Miss Gandy

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DEFERRED 1-20-67

TO DIRECTOR (92-6692)

FROM MIAMI (92-726 SUB 11) (ENCODED)

JUNE. FRANK LANG QUOTE LEFT UNQUOTE ROSENTHAL, AKA; AR; IGA, OO - MIAMI.

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[redacted] INSTALLED TWO ONE TWO THREE NORTHEAST ONE HUNDRED TWENTYSECOND ST., NORTH MIAMI, FLORIDA, AND ATTACHED WIRING REMOVED INSTANT. [redacted] BEING RETURNED FBI LABOARATORY BY SEPARATE COMMUNICATION.

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Equipment returned in sub file.

6 JAN 27 1967

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Miss Gandy

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Date: 1/20/67

Transmit the following in _____ (Type in plaintext or code)

Via AIRTEL REGISTERED MAIL (Priority)

TO: Director, FBI
Attention: FBI Laboratory - Electronic Section

FROM: SAC, Miami (92-726 Sub II)

SUBJECT: FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL, aka
AR; IGA

There is being returned by separate package, registered mail, one [redacted] recovered in this case. Appropriate inventory adjustments are being made.

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2 - Miami (1 - 66-1266)
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C. C. Wick

1/26/67 noted. Equipment was received in Lab. BSD.

Approved: _____ Sent _____ M Per _____
Special Agent in Charge

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12:51 AM URGENT 1-20-67 LVA

TO DIRECTOR

FROM MIAMI 200430

JUNE

FRANK LANG "LEFTY ROSENTHAL," AKA AR, IGA.

RE BUREAU PHONE CALL NINETEEN LAST.

MM972-C* WAS [redacted] INSTALLED 2123 NORTHEAST 122ND STREET, NORTH MIAMI, FLORIDA AND [redacted] [redacted] INSTALLATION COMPLEX AND DESIGNED TO AFFORD MAXIMUM SECURITY. AUTHORIZED BULET TO MIAMI JUNE 8, 1964 AND EFFECTED IN [redacted] 2123 NORTHEAST 122 STREET, 11 AM, JULY 7, 1964 AND DISCONTINUED JULY 13, 1965. ROSENTHAL RESIDENCE IS TWO STORY TOWN HOUSE APARTMENT AT END OF ROW OF SIMILAR APARTMENTS AND HELD BY ROSENTHAL UNDER ORIGINAL TWO YEAR LEASE. INSTALLATION MADE AS FOLLOWS: [redacted] ROSENTHAL APARTMENT OBTAINED BY BUAGENT [redacted]

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PAGE TWO FROM MIAMI 200430

[redacted] THIS APARTMENT [redacted] FROM SUBJECT'S AND UNDER COMMON ROOF. b7E IDENTITY OF BUREAU PERSONNEL NOT REVEALED. [redacted] LOCATED IN EXISTING [redacted] [redacted] WERE OBTAINED. MIAMI UNABLE TO GAIN ACCESS AS BEFORE [redacted] [redacted] EFFORTS THIS REGARD CONTINUING. MIAMI OF OPINION TECHNICAL TRESSPASS OCCURRED IN INSTALLATION ALTHOUGH NO FORCEABLE ENTRY ROSENTHAL APARTMENT MADE.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

REPORTING OFFICE	OFFICE OF ORIGIN	DATE	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD
MIAMI	MIAMI	2/10/67	12/30/66 - 2/7/67

TITLE OF CASE

FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL, aka

REPORT MADE BY [redacted] TYPED BY fs

CHARACTER OF CASE

AR; IGA

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- REFERENCES -

Report of SA [redacted] 1/18/67, at Miami.

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ENCLOSURES: TO THE BUREAU

Original and one copy of letterhead memorandum characterizing informants utilized in this report.

- LEADS -

MIAMI

Case has been: Pending over one year ☐ Yes ☒ No; Pending prosecution over six months ☐ Yes ☒ No

APPROVED SPECIAL AGENT IN CHARGE

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2 - Miami (92-726)

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Notations

At Miami, Florida

Will report activities of subject and associates.

- ADMINISTRATIVE -

TELEPHONE DATA

Information regarding long distance toll records for number [redacted] obtained from [redacted] (protect), [redacted] Little River, Florida. b6 b7C b7D

On 1/31/67, [redacted] (Protect), [redacted] Miami, Florida, advised that FRANK ROSENTHAL had recently ordered some new phone equipment for his townhouse residence. This equipment was in the form of longer extension cords so as to allow complete movement of individual telephones.

PASSPORT APPLICATION

On 12/30/66, FRANK ROSENTHAL indicated to Bureau Agents in Chicago, Illinois, that he was contemplating a trip in the near future, to Japan. In view of these remarks, appropriate inquiry has been made at the State Department - Passport and Visa Office, to ascertail full details concerning his passport application.

BOMBING OF HAMILTON REALTY OFFICE
11805 BISCAYNE BOULEVARD
NORTH MIAMI, FLORIDA
1/24/67

Departmental Attorney [redacted] Miami, Florida, made inquiry concerning above-mentioned bombing. It was noted that FRANK ROSENTHAL, among other known hoodlum figures, have or had resided in the San Souci Estates area. b6 b7C

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On 2/3/67, Assistant Chief of Police [redacted] (NA), North Miami Police Department, North Miami, Florida, made available a police report concerning the bombing at Hamilton Realty Company.

[redacted] indicated that their investigation had determined that [redacted] Hamilton Realty Company [redacted] and was also having [redacted] reflected that [redacted] has made no inquiries to his department since the original date of the event regarding this bombing. b6 b7C

Assistant Chief of Police [redacted] indicated that an explosive device, type as yet undetermined, was placed on the floor just east of the center corridor door which connects the offices of the Hamilton Realty Company and the Active Development Corporation. The explosive force dug a hole about four inches deep and 28" x 20" length and width in the terrazzo floor. Every window was blown out of the cinder block structure and the entire building was gutted. The structure, according to [redacted] appears to be a total loss.

[redacted] had stated to the police officers at the scene of the bombing that FRANK ROSENTHAL had been given his notice to move from his residence at 2123 N. E. 122nd Street. She related that after sending this notice to ROSENTHAL, she received a telephone call from him from Chicago, Illinois. ROSENTHAL told [redacted] "You had better reconsider evicting me from the apartment".

It is noted that the explosion of the above-described business structure occurred at about 12:25 A.M., on 1/24/67. Shortly after the explosion, FRANK ROSENTHAL was observed at the scene of the bombing and observing the wreckage.

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- INFORMANTS -

MM T-1 is [redacted] b7D

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FD-204 (Rev. 3-3-59)

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Copy to: 1 - United States Attorney, Miami (Attention: Departmental Attorney [redacted])

Report of: [redacted] Office: Miami, Florida

Date: February 10, 1967

Field Office File No.: 92-726 Bureau File No.: 92-6692

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Title: FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL

Character: ANTI - RACKETEERING;
INTERSTATE GAMBLING ACTIVITIES

Synopsis:

FRANK ROSENTHAL resides at 2123 N. E. 122nd St., North Miami, Fla. Subject continues association with Multiple Sports News Service, Miami, Fla. On 1/24/67, explosion occurred at Hamilton Realty, Inc., Miami, Fla. Assistant State's Attorney [redacted] Miami, advised that subject's case presently before the Florida Supreme Court. Subject, while in Chicago, Ill., observed with FIORE BUCCIERI, JAMES TORELLO, [redacted] and ANTHONY SPILOTRO. ROSENTHAL, on 12/30/66, said he contemplated taking a trip to Japan in near future with FIORE BUCCIERI. Long distance toll records set forth.

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DETAILS:

At North Miami, Florida

FRANK ROSENTHAL maintains a residence at 2123 N. E. 122nd Street, North Miami, Florida.

Subject drives a 1966 dark blue Oldsmobile bearing 1966 Florida license 1W-59669.

On January 24, 1967, ROSENTHAL was observed at his residence for the first time in nearly a six-week period. Subject had been observed from this time until January 31, 1967. He was again observed at his residence on February 7, 1967.

On February 1, 1967, an unknown white female was observed on the front porch of ROSENTHAL's residence. She was described as follows:

Age
Height
Weight
Hair
Eyes

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On February 1, 1967, an appropriate pretext telephone call was made to the residence of subject. The telephone was answered by an unknown female who identified herself as

A photograph of ANTHONY SPILOTRO, closely resembles the individual who was observed at the ROSENTHAL residence on February 1, 1967. This individual has been observed on a daily basis, from February 1 through February 7, 1967. This individual is apparently staying at the residence with

RENTAL AGREEMENT

On January 31, 1967, [redacted] Hamilton Realty, Inc., North Miami, Florida, advised that she had on this day been in receipt of a telephone call from FRANK ROSENTHAL.

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ROSENTHAL indicated to her that he was not moving from his residence during the next month and further requested that certain maintenance projects be completed immediately at his townhouse residence.

[redacted] was unable to state what the legal position of Hamilton Realty, Inc. would be, although she stated that [redacted] had received a commitment from ROSENTHAL that he would voluntarily leave the residence by February 1, 1967.

BUSINESS INTERESTS

ROSENTHAL continues to control the operation of Multiple Sports News Service, which maintains a business address at the Morton Building, 1090 N. E. 79th Street, Miami, Florida.

The alleged President of this business organization, SAMUEL GREEN, was observed at ROSENTHAL's residence on January 27, 1966.

BOMBING OF HAMILTON REALTY, INC.
11805 BISCAYNE BOULEVARD
MIAMI, FLORIDA
JANUARY 24, 1967

The following article appeared in the "Miami Herald" newspaper on January 25, 1967:

"Bomb Blast Followed
Renter Eviction Notice

"The owner of a realty company wrecked by a dynamite explosion Tuesday had recently given eviction notices to underworld figures, police discovered.

"The building that houses the Hamilton Realty Co., 11805 Biscayne Blvd. was shattered by an explosion shortly after midnight Tuesday morning. No one was injured in the blast that blew a section of the roof out and demolished part of the office.

"The sheriff's criminal intelligence squad estimated from a crater in the middle of the building that 10-one-pound sticks of dynamite had been detonated by a fuse.

"The bombers gained entrance to the building by prying open a door. They apparently placed the dynamite at a junction of two hallways, struck a match to a long fuse and ran. Edward J. Hamilton, of 2175 N. E. 122nd St., owner of the building and several swank apartment buildings in North Miami, told police he could offer no motive for the bombing.

"Police learned that at least three recent tenants in his apartments were well known underworld figures and two have recently been given eviction notices.

"On Dec. 15, one of Hamilton's apartments rented by Vincent Cimino at 2113 NE 122nd St. was shot up in gangland style by a passing car.

"Harrison subsequently served Cimino with an eviction notice, he said. Cimino, 40, has a police record in Boston.

"Hamilton said he later served an eviction notice on Frank (Lefty) Rosenthal, the well known gambling playboy once convicted on basketball fixing.

"Deputies and North Miami police are still sifting through the wreckage for clues."

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APPEAL STATUS - TRAFFIC VIOLATION,
MIAMI, FLORIDA

On January 23, 1967, Assistant State's Attorney [redacted] Miami, Florida, advised that he is handling the FRANK ROSENTHAL case. He advised that after subject was convicted and sentenced to ten days in jail for driving without a Florida Drivers License, ROSENTHAL appealed his conviction. The appeal has already been heard by the Third District Court of Appeals, in Miami, Florida, and is now before the Florida Supreme Court. b6 b7C

INVESTIGATION

CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

FD-302 (Rev. 4-15-64)

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date 1/5/67

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On the afternoon of December 30, 1966, Special Agents SATHER and WOLF had a conversation with the following individuals at the Stop Light Grill, 1205 South Cicero, Cicero, Illinois:

FIORE BUCCIERI,
JAMES TORELLO,
FRANK "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL
[redacted]

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It is to be noted that FRANK ROSENTHAL, well known Miami sports handicapper came to the grill in company with FIORE BUCCIERI.

ROSENTHAL advised that since he has been divorced from his wife he has no reason to stay in Miami. He stated that since he was originally from Chicago and since his mother and other family members still live here he plans to spend seven or eight months a year in the Chicago area.

Prior to ROSENTHAL's arrival, JAMES TORELLO had displayed to agents an expensive gold cigarette lighter which TORELLO said was "solid gold." TORELLO said he had to go out and buy this for a "guy" since the "guy" had given his (TORELLO's) wife an expensive slack set for Christmas. When ROSENTHAL entered the grill, TORELLO presented him with the lighter.

ROSENTHAL advised that the city of Miami had tried to prevent him from attending sporting events at the Orange Bowl since he was a known gambler. ROSENTHAL said he had sued the city of Miami and the courts had recently ruled in his favor.

ROSENTHAL stated he wanted to take FIORE BUCCIERI on a trip to Tokyo, Japan, and wondered if the government

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On 12/30/66 at Cicero, Illinois File # CG 92-1160

by SA EUGENE I. SATHER and SA LENARD A. WOLF/als 6. Date dictated 1/3/67

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would have them followed and harassed if they made the trip.

In a conversation about hoodlums in other cities, BUCCIERI said he did not know anyone outside of Chicago and did not want to know anybody. ROSENTHAL at this point said "that's right, he doesn't know anybody."

ROSENTHAL added that things are really "tight" in Miami area now due to newspaper publicity and grand jury indictments returned on Dade County Sheriff's deputies. He said some of the deputies were charged with burglary.

Investigation reflects that subject, while in the Chicago, Illinois area, is staying at 1102 South Maple, Oak Park, Illinois. This is the residence of ANTHONY SPILOTRO.

During his time in Chicago, ROSENTHAL has been in almost daily contact with FIORE BUCCIERI and JAMES "TURK" TORELLO.

On February 2, 1967, MM T-1 advised SA EUGENE I. SATHER that "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL was back in Chicago.

Source advised that JAMES "TURK" TORELLO calls "LEFTY" "CRAZY HORSE". Source also advised that ROSENTHAL continues to present his appeal on his conviction in Miami on a local traffic violation.

[redacted] CONTACTS b7D

Investigation reflects that FRANK ROSENTHAL

[redacted]

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Date 2/10/67

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On 2/6/67 at Miami, Florida File # Miami 92-726

by IC [redacted] :fs Date dictated 2/7/67

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to File No.

Miami, Florida
February 10, 1967

Title FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL

Character ANTI-RACKETEERING;
INTERSTATE GAMBLING ACTIVITIES

Reference report of Special Agent [redacted] b6 b7C
[redacted] dated and captioned
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Miami, Florida
February 10, 1967

Re: FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL
ANTI-RACKETEERING;
INTERSTATE GAMBLING ACTIVITIES

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The following is a characterization of the informants utilized in the above-referenced report:

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1 - Mr. DeLoach
1 - Mr. Gale
1 - Mr. McAndrews
1 - Mr. Green

The Acting Attorney General

February 27, 1967

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Director, FBI

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ELECTRONIC SURVEILLANCE CHECK
DEPARTMENT INQUIRY
FEBRUARY 13, 1967

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In reply to the request forwarded by memorandum dated February 13, 1967, from Mr. Fred M. Vinson, Jr., Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division, to check our indices for any reference to twenty-five individuals being the direct subjects of electronic surveillance, or as participants in conversations monitored, no reference was found to the following:

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The Acting Attorney General

[redacted] listed in referenced memorandum, was not the direct subject of electronic surveillance, but was a participant in monitored conversations covered by microphone installations, as set forth in the following two paragraphs. b6 b7C

[redacted] was monitored on June 23, 1964, by a microphone installed in the Armory Lounge, 7427 West Roosevelt Road, Forest Park, Illinois, on August 16, 1961, under the general authority of former Attorney General Robert F. Kennedy. It was terminated June 8, 1965. Trespass was involved in the installation.

[redacted] was monitored on April 19, 1965, and May 22, 1965, by a microphone installed at 100 North LaSalle Street, Chicago, Illinois, on October 22, 1962, for coverage on Frank Ferraro. This installation was made under the general authority of former Attorney General Robert F. Kennedy. It was terminated July 12, 1965. Trespass was involved in the installation.

[redacted] listed in referenced memorandum, was not the direct subject of electronic surveillance. However, he was a participant in a conversation monitored on July 9, 1965, by a microphone in [redacted] Frank Lang Rosenthal's residence, 2123 Northeast 122nd Street, Miami, Florida, which was installed July 7, 1964, under the general authority of former Attorney General Robert F. Kennedy. On April 19, 1965, former Attorney General Nicholas deB. Katzenbach was advised of this microphone and he authorized its continuance. It was terminated July 12, 1965. Trespass was involved in the installation. b6 b7C b7E

[redacted] listed in referenced memorandum, was not the direct subject of electronic surveillance. However, an individual believed to be identical with [redacted] was a participant in a conversation on December 1, 1964, monitored by a microphone in the office of Samuel Rizzo DeCavalcante at the Kenworth Corporation, 21 North Michigan Avenue, Kenilworth, New Jersey. This microphone was installed August 30, 1964, under the general authority of former Attorney General Robert F. Kennedy. On June 23, 1965, former Attorney General Nicholas deB. Katzenbach was advised of this microphone and he authorized its continuance. It was terminated July 12, 1965. Trespass was involved in the installation. b6 b7C

The Acting Attorney General

Available logs and supporting memoranda concerning the monitored conversations referred to above are being forwarded to FBI Headquarters and as soon as received will be transmitted to the Department.

None of the information obtained in the monitoring of conversations related above was included in investigative reports or disseminated to the Internal Revenue Service or any other agency.

It is suggested that you determine whether any other Federal investigative agency has conducted an electronic surveillance of the individuals listed in referenced letter.

1 - Mr. Fred M. Vinson, Jr.
Assistant Attorney General

Thomas J. McAndrews 2/28/67
Federal Bureau of Investigation

Henry E. Petersen, Chief
Organized Crime and Racketeering Section
Criminal Division, Department of Justice

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Receipt is hereby acknowledged of one (1) Xerox copy of Miami Log (MM 972-C*) dated 7/9/65.

February 28, 1967

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FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL, AKA
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[redacted] Reference is made to the report of SA [redacted] at Miami, Florida, dated 3/15/67. b6 b7C

Miami be alert to any positive information re Rosenthal's plan to file civil lawsuit against FBI and immediately advise Bureau of any developments.

NOTE: In recent trial of Gil Beckley, Department disclosed fact we had electronic coverage in Rosenthal's home. Miami now reports unverified information set forth above.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

REPORTING OFFICE	OFFICE OF ORIGIN	DATE	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD
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TITLE OF CASE

FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL, aka

REPORT MADE BY [redacted] TYPED BY dmc

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REFERENCE

Report of SA [redacted] dated 2/10/67, at Miami.

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ENCLOSURES

TO BUREAU (2)

Original and one copy of Letterhead Memorandum characterizing information utilized in this report.

LEADS

MIAMI

AT MIAMI, FLORIDA

Will follow activities of subject and associates.

Case has been: Pending over one year [X] Yes [ ] No; Pending prosecution over six months [ ] Yes [X] No

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Notations

ATTN: STATE DESK

The defendants were provided with copies of three logs from MM 972-C*. Two logs contained conversations in the home of ROSENTHAL between KANE and ROSENTHAL and the other involved a conversation in the residence between BECKLEY and ROSENTHAL.

The scope of the disclosure hearing was kept very narrow at the insistence of Departmental Attorney [redacted] The view was accepted by U. S. District Judge CABOT. The hearing was concluded on March 8, 1967, and all motions made by the defendants were denied.

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Information has been received, although not verified, that FRANK ROSENTHAL plans to file a civil lawsuit against the FBI.

Miami indices negative regarding [redacted] Jackson's Minit Market, and [redacted]

INFORMANTS

MM T-1 is [redacted]

MM T-2 is [redacted]

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ADMINISTRATIVE

TELEPHONE DATA

Information regarding Miami telephone number [redacted] was obtained from [redacted] (protect), [redacted] Little River, Florida. b6 b7C b7D

Information regarding Hollywood, Florida telephone numbers [redacted] were obtained from [redacted] (protect), [redacted] Hollywood, Florida.

DISCLOSURE HEARING - MM 972-C*

On March 6, 1967, a disclosure was made by Departmental Attorney [redacted] to the effect that an electronic eavesdropping device had been placed in the residence of FRANK ROSENTHAL, 2123 NW 122nd Street, North Miami, Florida. This device was activated on July 7, 1964, and discontinued in July, 1965.

The hearing was open and held in a District Courtroom which was presided over by U. S. District Judge TED CABOT, Southern District of Florida. b6 b7C

Investigative Clerks [redacted] and former clerk [redacted] testified as to the general procedure involved in doing their work and [redacted] was asked to draw a diagram of the area where they conducted their work in the FBI building.

Supervisor H. WAYNE SWINNEY testified along with Special Agents [redacted] and [redacted] as to the mechanics of receiving the typed logs and dissemination thereafter of the information received. It was made a matter of record that the subjects themselves (GILBERT BECKLEY, MORTON KANE and MARTIN SKLAROFF) were not subjects of any wiretapping or electronic eavesdropping devices.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
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Copy to: 1 - U. S. Attorney, Miami (Attention: Departmental Attorney [redacted]

Report of: [redacted] Office: Miami, Florida

Date: 3/15/67

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Field Office File #: 92-726 Bureau File #: 92-6692

Title: FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL

Character: ANTI-RACKETEERING; INTERSTATE GAMBLING ACTIVITIES

Synopsis:

FRANK ROSENTHAL maintains residence in North Miami, Florida. On 2/7/67, ROSENTHAL arrested Miami Beach, Florida for disorderly conduct. On 2/8/67, subject observed with ANTHONY SPILOTRO. Source advised subject plans to make Chicago, Ill. his permanent residence. On 3/2/67, subject surrendered at Dade County Jail, Miami, Florida for service of 10-day jail sentence. On 3/6/67, Departmental Attorney [redacted] advised there was an electronic device in home of subject during period of July, 1964 - July, 1965. Long distance toll records set out.

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DETAILS

AT NORTH MIAMI, FLORIDA

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

FRANK ROSENTHAL resides at 2123 NE 122nd Street, North Miami, Florida.

This document contains neither recommendations nor conclusions of the FBI. It is the property of the FBI and is loaned to your agency; it and its contents are not to be distributed outside your agency.

Subject drives a 1966 dark blue Oldsmobile bearing 1966 Florida License 1W-59669.

[redacted] continues to maintain residence with [redacted] at [redacted] North Miami, Florida.

BUSINESS INTERESTS

FRANK ROSENTHAL continues to operate in the capacity of sports consultant for Multiple Sports News Service. The business address for this concern is 1090 NE 79th Street, Miami, Florida.

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ASSOCIATES

ANTHONY JOHN SPILOTRO, aka "The Ant"

On February 7, 1967, an appropriate pretext telephone call was made to the residence of FRANK ROSENTHAL. [redacted] answered the phone and subsequently put on the phone an individual who identified himself as TONY.

On February 8, 1967, FRANK ROSENTHAL was observed at his residence in the company of ANTHONY SPILOTRO, [redacted] [redacted] and [redacted]

GENERAL ACTIVITIES

On January 31, 1967, T-1 advised SA ROBERT F. FETZNER that "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL may soon move to Chicago, Illinois. Source also understands subject is becoming more and more involved with the jewel thieves in the Miami area.

On the night of February 7, 1967, the following information was telephonically furnished to SA WILLIAM P. KELLY, by Lt. [redacted] Special Enforcement Squad, Miami Beach, Florida Police Department:

At about 5:40 PM, February 7, 1967, a uniformed officer of the Miami Beach Police Department, upon complaint of [redacted] prominent Miami Beach business and social personage, that three men had been watching her movements for the past "two days" in the vicinity of [redacted] Lincoln Road and Lenox Avenue, Miami Beach, approached three white males, two of whom immediately fled the area in the 1967 black Oldsmobile of NORMAN LOUIS ROSENTHAL, aka "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL. ROSENTHAL was arrested on a charge of disorderly conduct (loitering), and subsequently released on $500 bond. b6 b7C

Upon questioning at the Miami Beach Police Department ROSENTHAL advised he had returned to Miami area at 6:00 AM, February 7, 1967, from Chicago.

ROSENTHAL advised ANTHONY JOHN SPILOTRO; [redacted] are living at ROSENTHAL's town house, 2123 NE 122nd Street, North Miami, Florida.

Miami Beach Police Department arresting officer stated he believes one of the two white males who fled in ROSENTHAL's car, as explained above, might be SPILOTRO.

On February 10, 1967, the following article appeared in the "Miami Herald" newspaper, Miami, Florida:

Not Guilty Verdict

Lefty Just 'Slips Out'

"I was just waiting for a friend."

So spoke Frank (Lefty) Rosenthal, syndicate gambler and convicted fixer, as he defended himself in Miami Beach Municipal Court on charges of disorderly conduct.

Rosenthal, police said, had "been standing around" on Lincoln Rd. Mall last Tuesday "too long to be just window shopping."

"Well, I'd been inside shopping," Lefty told Judge Fred Nesbitt, and produced a sales slip, "and I was just waiting for a friend to pick me up."

"Not guilty," said Judge Nesbitt, and Rosenthal sauntered out of court after pausing to pick up his sure bet — a $50 appearance bond.

On February 8, 1967, MM T-2 advised SA ROBERT A. COOK that "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL plans to permanently leave the Miami area and make his residence in Chicago, Illinois.

LOCAL PROSECUTION - TRAFFIC VIOLATION

On February 17, 1967, the following article captioned "LEFTY May Get First Taste of Life in the Jail-House" appeared in the "Miami Herald" newspaper:

> "Gambler, sports-fixer FRANK (LEFTY) ROSENTHAL was facing his first taste of life behind bars Thursday after failing to convince the Florida Supreme Court that he got a bad deal in a Metro Traffic Court.
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> "The charge that may send the 37-year-old playboy gambler to jail is a 10-day sentence for driving with a suspended license.
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> "The jail term, imposed last July by Metro Judge FRED BARAD, was upheld on appeal to the state's mandate - ROSENTHAL's ticket to jail - is expected within two weeks."

On March 2, 1967, the following article appeared in the "Miami Herald" newspaper:

> "Cell Door Slams Shut on LEFTY
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> "Gambler FRANK (LEFTY) ROSENTHAL, who once ducked a prison stretch by paying a $6,000 fine for basketball fixing, lost a long battle Wednesday to keep his driver's license and stay out of jail.
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> "ROSENTHAL finally surrendered to Metro

"Court Judge FRED BARAD and was whisked across the street to begin a 10-day jail term handed down Nov. 23, 1965, by BARAD.

"The charge was driving with a suspended license.

"For the past 14 months, the balding 37-year-old gambler leaned on legal and medical maneuvers to avoid his first jail cell.

"BARAD had levied the 10-day sentence, a $100 fine and a year's suspension of driving rights.

"ROSENTHAL's appeal went all the way to the State Supreme Court but failed. Then in September, on the threshold of the Dade County Jail, he protested that his ulcer couldn't stomach jailhouse fare and won a temporary stay."

An appropriate pretext telephone call was made to the residence of FRANK ROSENTHAL on March 11, 1967. It was ascertained that subject had served his 10-day jail term and was again maintaining residence in his North Miami town house.

DISCLOSURE HEARING - MIAMI, FLORIDA

On March 7, 1967, the following article appeared in the "Miami Herald" newspaper regarding an electronic eavesdropping device at the residence of subject.

Surprise Testimony

FBI Admits 'Bug' In Gambler's Home

From Page 1A

operating, from Feb. 10 to April 5, 1961, the government said, but no evidence in the current case developed from the eavesdrop.

McGrath was a nationally known waterfront gangster in New York City, active in labor violence and in numbers racketeering before moving to Florida after Kefauver Committee probes of the early 50s.

The government also admitted that the IRS put a wiretap on the telephone of gambling hoodlum Thomas Whalen from August 1962 to Aug. 31, 1963. Whalen is a onetime St. Louis underworld figure who migrated to Dade more than a decade ago.

IRS agents monitored conversations about gambling between Whalen and Beckley, the prosecution admitted, but the IRS didn't turn over the data to the FBI and it was therefore unrelated to the Beckley case.

The hearing on the defense's motion to suppress evidence continues at 9:30 a.m. today.

Kane, one of the codefendants, is due for arraignment next week in Dade Criminal Court on charges of operating a gambling house, stemming from a raid Feb. 22 by sledge-hammering agents of the State Attorney's Office.

Kane's lawyers are expected to attack the case in pre-trial motions because the search warrant for the raid was based on wiretapping by New York authorities. The wiretap was court-authorized but Florida laws don't allow taps under any circumstances.

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Surprise Testimony Delays Beckley Trial

FBI Admits Bugging Gambler's Home

By DICK KNIGHT
Herald Staff Writer

Federal prosecutors admitted in court Monday that FBI agents bugged the home of gambler Frank (Lefty) Rosenthal for more than a year and also installed a hidden transmitter in the residence of a North Bay Village gangster.

The surprise admissions delayed the start of Gil (The Brain) Beckley's trial on interstate gambling and racketeering charges in U.S. District Court as defense attorneys sought to suppress evidence.

Prosecutor Brian Gettings, of the Justice Department's Organized Crime Section, contended none of the evidence against Beckley and four co-defendants was obtained from the bugging incidents.

The FBI "trespassed" into Rosenthal's residence at 2123 NE 122nd St. on July 7, 1964, to install at least two secret transmitters, the government acknowledged, and the bugs remained there in working order for a year and five days.

Frank Rosenthal
. . . calls monitored

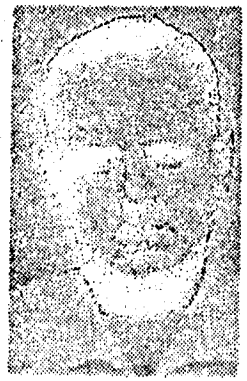
Sounds from the apartment were monitored in the FBI's headquarters at 3801 N. Biscayne Blvd., where government employes worked two shifts, from 8 a.m. to midnight.

The equipment was turned off from midnight until morning except on "special occasions," it was disclosed.

Cyrus Falls, an FBI investigative clerk, testified the tape recorded pertinent conversations. Falls admitted knowing of "four or five" other listening devices but details didn't come out immediately.

Defense attorney E. David Rosen indicated he questioned three other FBI men, an Internal Revenue Service agent and prosecutor Gettings, who insisted no part of the government's case grew out of the unlawful eavesdropping techniques.

The secret microphones in Rosenthal's residence picked up one end of telephone conversations as well as other noises. The government said Rosenthal was heard talking eight times with someone who was "probably" Beckley.



Gil Beckley
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On other occasions, Rosen-thal was said to be overheard talking to Morton Kane and Martin Sklaroff.

Beckley's codefendants are Kane, Sklaroff, Ben (Sonny) Rogers and Kenneth (Jap) Hanna. They're charged with interstate transmission of gambling information, interstate racketeering and using the telephone for an unlawful purpose.

Another hidden mike admittedly installed by the FBI was in the residence of Edward J. McGrath, Apt. 1, 7911 E. Drive, North Bay Village.

McGrath was once overheard talking to Beckley while the transmitter was

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MORTGAGE MONEY? See AMERICAN SAVINGS, 1655 Washington Ave. at Lincoln Rd. Phone 532-5566. —Adv.

On March 8, 1967, an article captioned "FBI Must Tell All About 'Bugs'" appeared in the Miami Herald" newspaper:

FBI Must Tell All About 'Bugs'

By DICK KNIGHT
Herald Staff Writer

Federal Judge Ted Cabot ruled Tuesday the federal gambling indictment against Gil "The Brain" Beckley and three other men wasn't based on evidence obtained from a wiretap or two "bugs" planted in homes.

BECKLEY

However, over federal objections, Judge Cabot ordered the government to produce FBI and Internal Revenue Service agents at 10 a.m. today so the defense can ask if any other illegal bugs had been used.

Beckley, Morton Kane, Martin Sklaroff and Ben Rogers were to go on trial Monday before Judge Cabot on charges of illegal interstate transmission of gambling information.

The trial was delayed when defense attorneys E. David Rosen and Frank E. Haddad, Jr. moved to suppress evidence they charged was illegally obtained.

Justice Department attorneys Brian Gettings and Wallace Johnson admitted the FBI bugged the home of gambler Frank (Lefty) Rosenthal, and the apartment of a waterfront gangster.

They also admitted the Internal Revenue Service tapped the phone of gambler Thomas Whalen.

Gettings and Johnson told Judge Cabot that the U.S. obtained no information from the illegal bugging which was used in the indictment.

The FBI said it didn't use the recorded information as evidence and the IRS said it didn't tell the FBI about the phone tap.

Over strong objections by Gettings, Judge Cabot ruled the defense had a right to question federal agents under oath in a "limited" way about any other hidden microphones and phone taps that may have been used.

"The government has admitted certain illegal actions and I have ruled on them. But can we now deny the defendants the right to inquire about other similar activities?

"The government witnesses have the information and we should allow the defense to question them to some degree about other actions," Judge Cabot said.

AT HOLLYWOOD, FLORIDA

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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Date March 7, 1967

Records of [redacted]

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These records are confidential and can only be produced by issuance of a subpoena duces tecum directed to

[redacted]

On 3/3/67 at Hollywood, Florida File # Miami 92-726

by SA JAMES J. KEARNEY:mcf Date dictated 3/3/67

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The following investigation was conducted by SA JAMES J. KEARNEY:

On March 3, 1967, [redacted] Hollywood Credit Bureau, advised she had no record for [redacted] or [redacted] b6 b7C

On March 3, 1967, [redacted] Hollywood Police Department, advised he had no record regarding [redacted]

[redacted] CONTACTS

Prior investigation reflects FRANK ROSENTHAL [redacted] b3

[redacted]

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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Date 3/9/67

A subpoena duces tecum was issued by Departmental Attorney [redacted] b3

Federal Grand Jury on [redacted]

The records of [redacted]

On 3/3/67 at Miami, Florida File # Miami 92-726

by IC [redacted] /jd Date dictated 3/6/67 b6 b7C

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to File No.

Miami, Florida
March 15, 1967

Title FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL

Character ANTI-RACKETEERING;
INTERSTATE GAMBLING ACTIVITIES

Reference Report of Special Agent [redacted] dated and captioned as above, at Miami, Florida.

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All sources (except any listed below) whose identities are concealed in referenced communication have furnished reliable information in the past.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to File No.

Miami, Florida
March 15, 1967

RE: FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL
ANTI-RACKETEERING;
INTERSTATE GAMBLING ACTIVITIES

Reference is made to the report of Special Agent [redacted] dated and captioned as above at Miami, Florida. b6 b7C

The following is a characterization of the informants utilized in above-referenced report:

MM T-1 is a Miami businessman known to be in contact with the local criminal element.

MM T-2 is an individual who is closely associated with the gambling and hoodlum element in the Miami area.

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BUGGING USED DESPITE BAN

FBI Miami Eavesdropping Revealed In U.S. Case

[Washington Bureau of The Sun]

Washington, March 6—The Justice Department admitted today that the FBI in 1965 briefly violated President Johnson's order against illegal Federal electronic eavesdropping.

In an admission filed in Miami last week and released here today, the department said the FBI bugged a Miami residence—after installing a microphone by trespass—from July 7, 1964, to July 12, 1965.

The admission, the thirteenth in a series which began last May, came in a celebrated gambling prosecution, a case against Gilbert Lee Beckley, accused of using electronic equipment to circumvent long-distance telephone lines for gambling.

No Comment

The White House, the Justice Department and the FBI would not comment on why the bugging continued after Mr. Johnson's order. This was the first such admission. The latest bugging previously admitted was terminated in May, 1965.

Various Federal officials, including Nicholas Katzenbach, former Attorney General, have said that Federal bugging did not continue after the June 30 order.

One possible explanation, suggested by sources who declined to be quoted by name, was that it may have taken the FBI some time to remove its microphones, especially where, as in this case, the bug was planted in a private room. But no officials would comment on this suggestion.

"Serious Abuses"

The presidential order, issued after weeks of negotiation among various Federal law enforcement officials and the White House, warned of "serious abuses and invasions of privacy," and flatly banned telephone wiretapping, except when authorized by the Attorney General in cases of threats to national security.

The order, which the White House will still not make public, continued:

"Utilization of mechanical or electronic devices to overhear non-telephone conversations is an even more difficult problem, which raises substantial and unresolved questions of constitutional interpretation."

"I desire that each agency conducting such investigations consult with the Attorney General to ascertain whether the agency's practices are fully in accord with the law and with a decent regard for the rights of others."

"List Of Interceptions"

While the constitutional and statutory law involving bugging and eavesdropping has grown rapidly in recent years, no line of cases could have argued in 1965 that installation of microphones by trespass was legal.

Mr. Johnson then gave agency heads 30 days to advise the Attorney General of their inventories of eavesdropping and wiretapping devices and "a list of interceptions currently authorized and the reasons for them."

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The New York Times
World Journal Tribune
(New York)
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The Worker
The New Leader
The Wall Street Journal
The National Observer
People's World

Date MAR 7 1967

FRANK LANG ROSENTHAL

Why was it continued after June 30, 1965?

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Memo J. H. Gale to Mr. Rosen 3-7-67

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

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TO : Mr. DeLoach

DATE: March 7, 1967

FROM : J. H. Gale

SUBJECT: FRANK LANG ROSENTHAL
ANTI-RACKETEERING

In connection with a Baltimore "Sun" article of March 7, 1967, regarding the Department's disclosure, in one of our gambling prosecutions involving nationally prominent gambler Gilbert Lee Beckley and others, that an FBI microphone had been installed in a Miami residence from July 7, 1964, to July 12, 1965, the Director has asked why the installation was continued after June 30, 1965, the date of a Presidential directive regarding the use of electronic listening devices by the Federal establishment.

It is noted that the installation in question was a microphone in the residence of Frank Lang Rosenthal, a notorious operator of an illegal sports gambling dissemination service, who was then conducting this operation from his Miami residence. In keeping with then Attorney General Katzenbach's instructions of March 30, 1965, he was informed of the existence of this installation by our memorandum of April 12, 1965, which he initialed and returned, authorizing the continuance of this microphone for an additional six-month period. On July 12, 1965, Katzenbach, who was then preparing for his appearance before the Long Committee regarding the use of electronic surveillance devices, instructed that all FBI microphone coverage be discontinued, which was done as of that date.

It is noted that this article creates the impression that the Presidential directive of June 30, 1965, prohibited electronic eavesdropping, and indicates that the continuance of this installation beyond that date was in conflict with the Presidential order. This order did not prohibit electronic eavesdropping, but rather recognized

1 - Mr. DeLoach
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it as a "difficult problem, which raises substantial and unresolved questions of Constitutional interpretation." It provided that an agency making use of electronic eavesdropping consult with the Attorney General and provide him with a "list of interceptions currently authorized and the reasons for them."

The continuance of this microphone beyond June 30, 1965, was, therefore, not in conflict with this Presidential directive, since we had already complied with its provisions by listing this particular installation and providing the Attorney General with the reasons the surveillance was being maintained. As noted above, Mr. Katzenbach approved our continuance of the installation at that time. As further evidence that this Presidential directive was not interpreted as a prohibition against electronic eavesdropping, Mr. Katzenbach approved a number of FBI microphones during the intervening period between June 30, 1965, and July 12, 1965.

ACTION:

For information.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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FRANK LANG "Lefty" ROSENTHAL, aka

REPORT MADE BY [redacted] TYPED BY pch

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REFERENCES

Miami report of SA [redacted] dated as 6 8 3/15/67.

Phoenix letter to Los Angeles dated 3/13/67, captioned, [redacted] aka, ITSP - TJTP, OO: Los Angeles."

Bureau letter to Miami dated 3/23/67. as 6 8

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ENCLOSURES TO: BUREAU (2)

Enclosed for the Bureau are the original and one copy of a letterhead memorandum characterizing informant utilized in this report.

LEADS

Case has been: Pending over one year [X] Yes [ ] No; Pending prosecution over six months [ ] Yes [X] No

APPROVED SPECIAL AGENT IN CHARGE

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At Miami, Florida:

Will follow activities of subject and associates.

ADMINISTRATIVE

Telephone Data

(A) Miami Division

Information regarding Miami telephone number [redacted] was obtained from [redacted] (protect), [redacted] Little River, Florida. b6 b7C b7D

(B) WFO

Information from [redacted] Washington, D. C., was furnished to SA EDWARD A. PENNYPACKER by [redacted] b7D

Civil Damage Suit

By communication dated March 23, 1967, the Bureau advised Miami to be alert to any positive information that subject plans to file a civil law suit against the FBI.

As of this date, no positive information has been received from reliable sources of the Miami Division that FRANK ROSENTHAL contemplates the filing of a civil suit against the FBI.

Review of Indices

(A) Charlotte Division

Indices of the Charlotte Office contain no references which are known to be identical with [redacted] an attorney-at-law. b6 b7C

(B) Philadelphia Division

A review of the Philadelphia Indices on March 28, 1967, failed to reflect any derogatory information regarding Credit Research Products, Inc.

(C) Miami Division

Miami Indices reflect that [redacted] has been the subject of ITSP and TGP investigations. [redacted] is a convicted felon and has previously served time at Florida State Prison. b6 b7C

Indices reflect that [redacted] is the subject of an NBA investigation, Miami file 49-1278. [redacted] Florida Tack Supply, Inc., which previously did business under the name of Outdoor Store and Bazaar Garden Center, 3412 S. Dixie Highway.

INFORMANT

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Copy to: 1 - United States Attorney, Miami, Florida.
(Attention: Departmental Attorney [redacted]

Report of: [redacted] Office: Miami, Florida
Date: April 12, 1967

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Title: FRANK LANG "Lefty" ROSENTHAL

Character: ANTI-RACKETEERING; INTERSTATE GAMBLING ACTIVITIES

Synopsis:

FRANK ROSENTHAL continues residence at 2123 NE 122nd Street, North Miami, Fla. On 3/22/67, subject observed at trial of GILBERT LEE BECKLEY. On 3/30/67, Lt. [redacted] Public Safety Department, Miami, Fla., fired for arranging special treatment for subject. Long distance tolls set forth.

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DETAILS:

At North Miami, Florida:

Background Information

FRANK ROSENTHAL continues to reside at 2123 NE 122nd Street, North Miami, Florida.

Subject drives a 1966 dark blue Oldsmobile bearing 1966 Florida license 1W-59669.

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[redacted] continues to maintain residence [redacted] North Miami, Florida.

Business Interests

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FRANK ROSENTHAL, continues to operate in the capacity of sports consultant for Multiple Sports News Service. The business address for this concern is 1090 NE 79th Street, Miami, Florida.

Associates

[redacted]

At Phoenix, Arizona: [redacted]

On March 7, 1967, [redacted] advised that he is well acquainted with [redacted] of Chicago, Illinois. [redacted] denied any acquaintance with ANTHONY JOHN SPILOTRO, [redacted] or FRANK "Lefty" ROSENTHAL.

[redacted] was reminded that it was a matter of record that on December 6, 1965, ANTHONY JOHN SPILOTRO made a long distance telephone call to his residence. [redacted] offered no explanation for the call nor did he admit knowing SPILOTRO.

General Activities

Spot checks conducted at the residence and known hangouts of subject between March 11 and 21, 1967, reflect no unusual activity by FRANK ROSENTHAL.

On March 22, 1967, subject was observed with an unknown white male at the Federal gambling trial of GILBERT LEE BECKLEY, MORTON PAUL KANE and MARTIN SKLAROFF. This trial was being held in U. S. District Courtroom located at the Main Post Office Building, Miami, Florida.

On March 30, 1967, MM T-1 advised that subject is to leave very shortly and set up permanent residence in Chicago, Illinois.

Daily spot checks conducted from March 31, 1967 to April 7, 1967 failed to reflect the presence of FRANK ROSENTHAL in the Miami area. ROSENTHAL's car during this time period has been parked in front of the residence of [redacted] North Miami, Florida. b6 b7C

Lieutenant (Lt.) [redacted]
Deputy Sheriff, Dade County
Public Safety Department,
Miami, Florida

On April 1, 1967, the following article captioned, "Gambler's Snack Gets Jailer Fired," appeared in "The Miami Herald" newspaper, Miami, Florida:

"Lt. Milton Klein, a deputy sheriff for 21 years, was fired Thursday for arranging an after-hours delicatessen snack in the Dade County Jail for gambler Frank (Lefty) Rosenthal.

Klein was called before Sheriff E. Wilson Purdy at 2 p.m. and handed a three-page list of charges. He has 10 days to appeal to the Personnel Advisory Board.

Klein made no secret of the impromptu banquet of corned beef, pastrami, kosher pickles and potato salad, Purdy said. He invited other prisoners and guards to join in the feast at a table for trustees in the jail kitchen.

One prisoner - Godfrey Newman - took him up on it, Purdy said, sharing the food with Klein, Rosenthal, and Rosenthal's attorney."

"Daniel W. Mones.

Rosenthal was serving a 10-day sentence at the time for driving with a suspended license. The jail term had been delayed a year in a series of unsuccessful appeals.

In trying to stay out of jail, Rosenthal had presented medical evidence of an ulcer and a doctor's certificate that he should not be confined because the jail couldn't provide the food his delicate stomach requires.

'Apparently Klein thought he was still an untouchable around here,' one officer commented. 'Things have changed.'

Klein, 50, was fired once before - in 1951 - after the Kefauver Committee's investigation pushed Sheriff Jimmy Sullivan out of office. But Klein managed to get his job back.

In 1949, while Sullivan was still sheriff, a deputy who had accompanied Klein on a bookie raid signed an affidavit that the raid had been fixed. When he and Klein entered a bookie establishment, former Deputy Charlie Caves swore, they arrested a 'stand-in' for the real operator and were handed a scratch sheet as 'evidence' against the man they took into custody.

Klein was assigned as night shift commander in the jail last Jan. 9, shortly after Purdy came here to head the department.

On the night of March 7, Purdy said, Rosenthal's attorney, Mones, brought a paper bag of delicatessen food to the front door of the jail.

"Klein went out to meet him and carried the bag inside, past a guard who was supposed to check all incoming packages for contraband, Purdy said.

Klein took Rosenthal out of his cell and to the kitchen for the meal.

'It is inconceivable,' Purdy said in his letter to Klein, 'How a command officer such as Lt. Klein, in charge of a penal institution that had suffered a previous escape such as the much-publicized escape of Georges LeMay, could have allowed such a meeting to take place.'

Klein's firing was based on four charges and approved unanimously by a departmental trial board, which met to hear evidence for three days.

He was charged with:

Soliciting and accepting gifts - the food.

Familiarity with inmates and bringing them unauthorized material. Making special food available to Rosenthal 'tends to bring discredit on the Dade County Public Safety Department,' Purdy said.

Incompetence and inefficiency - by stating that he did not know he had violated jail procedure in the food incident.

Insubordination - By eating contraband food in view of other inmates and other employees. Purdy called this a serious breech of discipline which has resulted in lowered morale among employes and inmates."

Passport Application

[redacted] Passport Office, Department of State, has advised SA [redacted] that searches have been made of the files of that office on February 17, 1967, March 1, 1967, March 24, 1967 and March 31, 196 but no record of a passport application by subject could be located.

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Identification of Telephone Subscribers Called by Subject

The Charlotte Division

A check of the 1963-64 Cross-Reference Directory for MECKLENBERG County, North Carolina, reflects the following subscribers to telephone numbers listed below:

Date	Number	Subscriber
11/4/63	[redacted]	[redacted] Attorney-at-law, National Bank of North Carolina Building, Charlotte, North Carolina
2/14/64	375-8885	"Charlotte Observer", Charlotte, North Carolina
3/20/64	333-8832	WBT-WBTV and WBT-RM Radio Stations, #1 Julian Price Place, Charlotte, North Carolina

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At Newark, New Jersey:

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Date March 15, 1967

Records of [redacted]

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On 3/14/67 at Newark, NJ File # NK 92-2792

by IC [redacted] /js Date dictated 3/14/67

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Date March 23, 1967

Records, [redacted]

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On 3/14/67 at New Orleans, Louisiana File # NO 92-774

by SA [redacted] /jms Date dictated 3/20/67

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Date March 23, 1967

Records, [redacted]

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted] at New Orleans, Louisiana, on March 23, 1967:

[redacted] New Orleans Retailers Credit Bureau, 333 St. Charles Avenue, reviewed his files and related the following information was available regarding [redacted] b6 b7C

[redacted] resides at [redacted] New Orleans, with [redacted] He listed a previous address of [redacted] New Orleans. [redacted] present employer is [redacted] director. Prior employment was with the Department of Agriculture.

[redacted] further advised his records showed that [redacted] had maintained six accounts satisfactorily in the New Orleans area; one suit was brought against [redacted] January 25 or 27, 1964, by the Predential Finance Plan for an amount listed as $737.00.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted] at New Orleans, Louisiana:

On March 6, 1967, [redacted] Clerk, New Orleans Police Department, Records Division, advised no available records were identifiable with FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL.

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On March 23, 1967, [redacted] Clerk, New Orleans Police Department, Identification Division, related that her records revealed no known record regarding [redacted] or FRANK ROSENTHAL.

On March 23, 1967, a review of the New Orleans Division indices was made reflecting no known record of a [redacted]

On March 23, 1967, [redacted] New Orleans Retailers Credit Bureau, advised there was no record identifiable with FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL.

At Washington, D. C.:

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As of March 10, 1967, the records of [redacted]

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At Hollywood, Florida:

The following investigation was conducted by SA JAMES J. KEARNEY:

The City Directory of Hollywood, Florida for the year 1967, reflects the following information concerning telephone subscribers:

(1) 923-2546 Hobby Lobby
2048 Hollywood Boulevard
Hollywood

(2) [redacted]
Hollywood

At West Palm Beach, Florida:

The following investigation was conducted on March 24, 1967 by SA [redacted] b6 b7C

The public records of the Southern Bell Telephone & Telegraph Company in 1965 and 1966 list telephone number 833-5628, as a number subscribed to by the Outdoor Store and Garden Supply Company, 3415 South Dixie Highway.

This telephone number is also listed for the Big Bear Wrecking Service.

The principal owner of these business establishments is [redacted]

[redacted] Contacts

Prior investigation reflects FRANK ROSENTHAL b3

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Date April 17, 1967

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A subpoena duces tecum was issued by Departmental Attorney [redacted] directed to [redacted] records in Federal Grand Jury on [redacted]

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The records of [redacted]

On 4/12/67 at Miami, Florida File # Miami 92-726

by IC [redacted] /jaj/pch Date dictated 4/17/67

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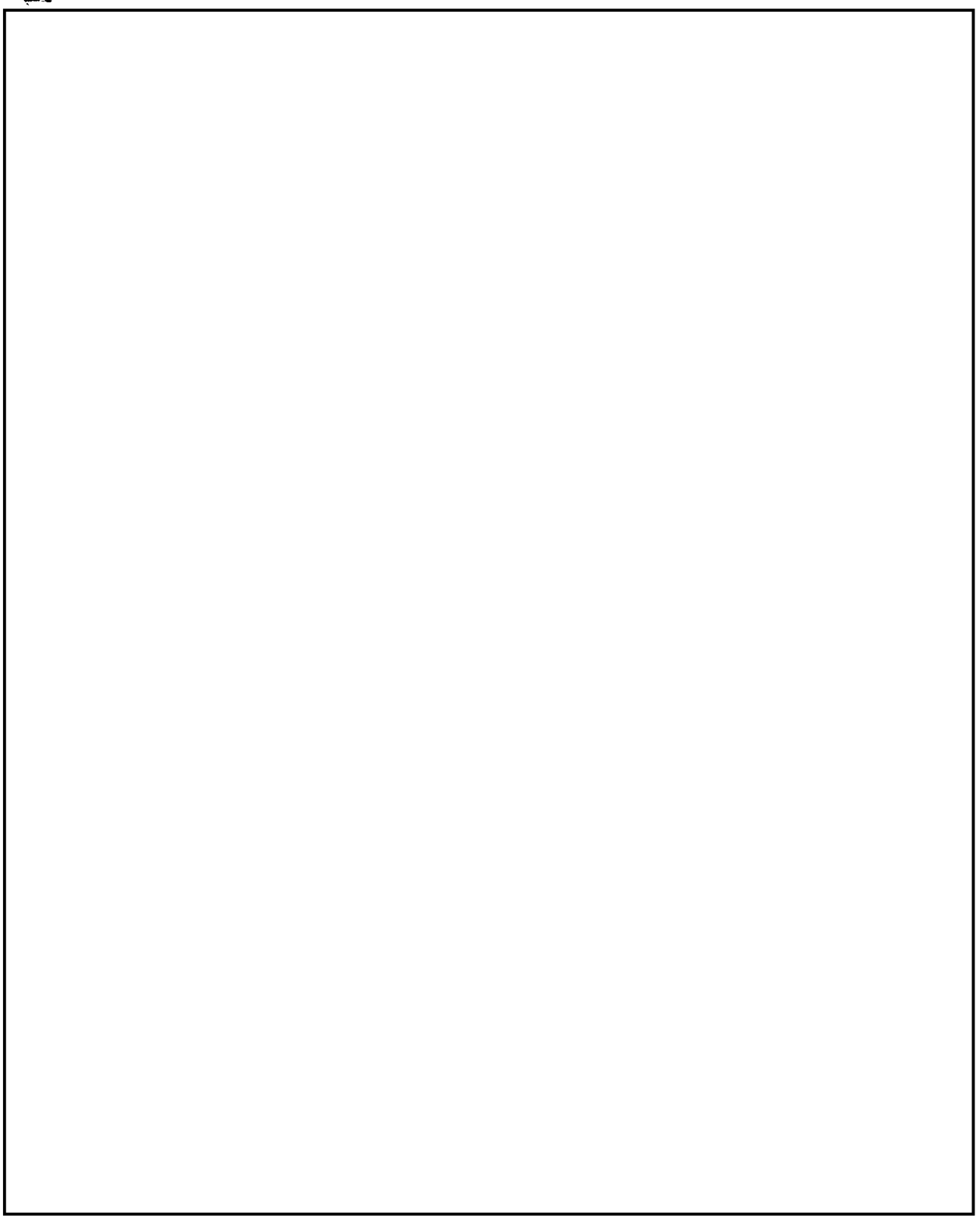

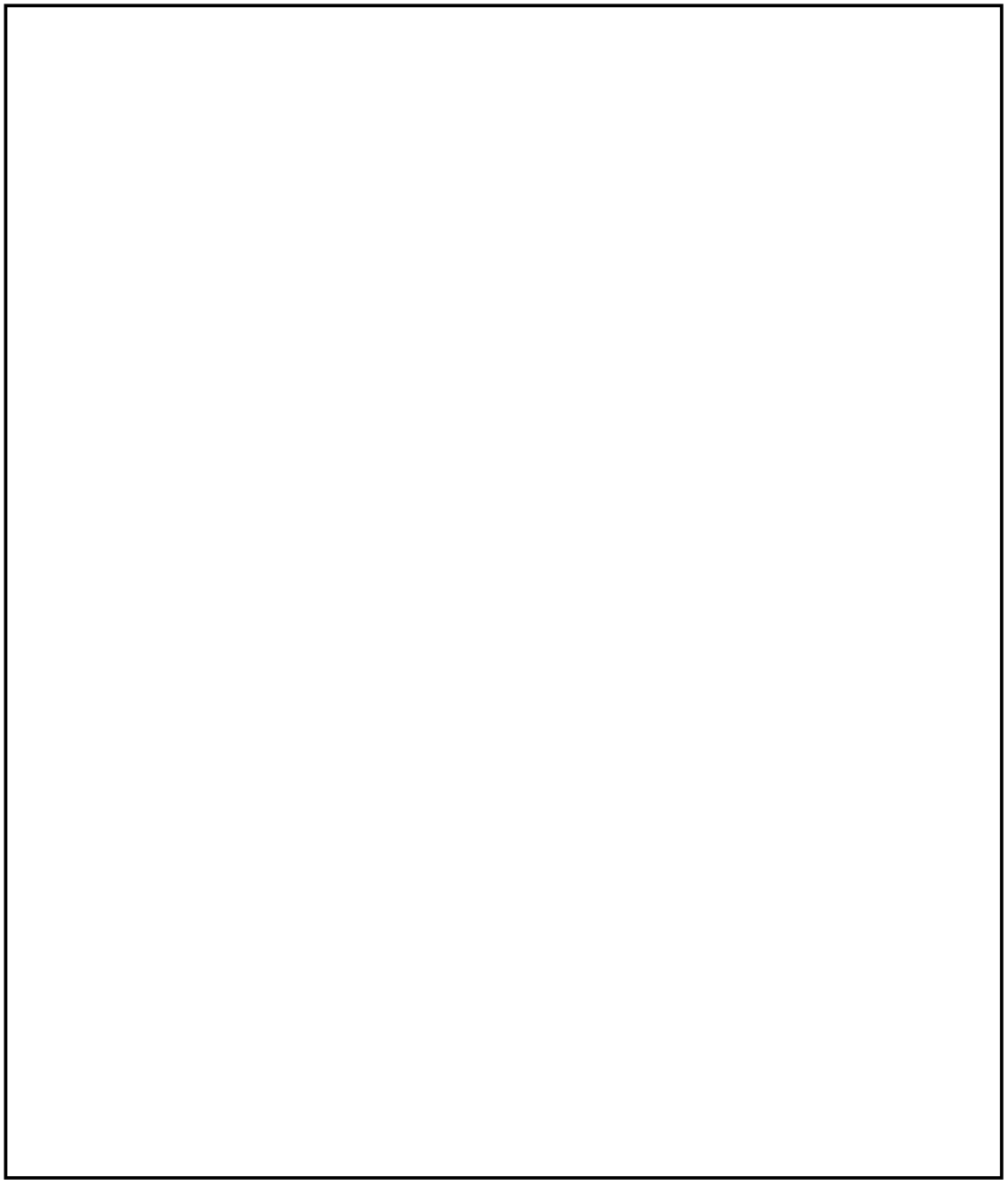

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In Reply, Please Refer to File No.

Miami, Florida
April 12, 1967

Title FRANK LANG "Lefty" ROSENTHAL

Character ANTI-RACKETEERING; INTERSTATE GAMBLING ACTIVITIES

Reference is made to report of Special Agent [redacted] dated and captioned as above. b6 b7C

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INTERSTATE GAMBLING ACTIVITIES

Reference is made to report of Special Agent [redacted] dated and captioned as above at Miami, Florida. b6 b7C

The following is a characterization of the informant utilized in the above-referenced report:

MM T-1 is an individual who is acquainted with certain members of the gambling and hoodlum element in the Miami area.

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REPORTING OFFICE	OFFICE OF ORIGIN	DATE	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD
MIAMI	MIAMI	5/24/67	3/30 - 5/17/67

TITLE OF CASE

FRANK LANG "Lefty" ROSENTHAL, aka

REPORT MADE BY [redacted] TYPED BY bab

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REFERENCE: Miami report of SA [redacted] dated 5/24/67. NO other rept 5/24/67 cons/mH

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ENCLOSURES TO: BUREAU (2)

Enclosed for the Bureau are the original and one copy of a letterhead memorandum characterizing informant utilized in this report.

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AT MIAMI, FLORIDA

Will follow activities of subject and associates.

Case has been: Pending over one year [X] Yes [ ] No; Pending prosecution over six months [ ] Yes [X] No

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"CC, AAG, Criminal Division, Organized Crime & Racketeering Section Room 1542 "

Notations

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ADMINISTRATIVE

Telephone Data

(A) Miami Division

Information regarding Miami telephone [redacted] was obtained from [redacted] (protect), [redacted] Little River, Florida. b6 b7C b7D

(B) New York Division

Information regarding New York City area telephone numbers was obtained from [redacted] New York Telephone Company, 104 Broad Street, New York, New York, Zip Code 10004.

Inquiry Postal Inspector's Office

On May 1, 1967, [redacted] (protect), advised after a check of appropriate records that FRANK ROSENTHAL had not left a forwarding address during the month of April, 1967.

Her records did reflect that the subject received a registered letter during the middle of April, 1967. The postman was instructed by a written note to deliver this letter to [redacted] North Miami, Fla. (This address is that of [redacted] of subject) b6 b7C

Review of Indices

(A) Los Angeles Division

Los Angeles indices are negative re [redacted]

(B) New York Division

New York files reflected the following information concerning [redacted] Bronx, New York, Apartment [redacted]

New York indices negative regarding:

Goldberger Doll Manufacturing, New York City

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[redacted] New York City
New York City
Harrockses USA, Inc., New York City
Listenard Manufacturing Company, Brooklyn, New York
Frankie and Johnnie Auto Motors,
Ozone Park, New York

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INFORMANT

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Copy to: 1 - United States Attorney, Miami, Florida
(Attention: Departmental Attorney [redacted]

Report of: [redacted] **Office:** Miami, Florida
Date: May 24, 1967

Field Office File #: 92-726 **Bureau File #:** 92-6692

Title: FRANK LANG "Lefty" ROSENTHAL

Character: ANTI-RACKETEERING; INTERSTATE GAMBLING ACTIVITIES

Synopsis:

Jerry Douglas Paschal aka "Jay"

Subject resides at 2123 Northeast 122nd St., North Miami, Fla. From 4/1 through 4/27/67, ROSENTHAL not observed in the Miami area. On 5/4/67, subject observed in presence of MORTON PAUL KANE. Source in Atlanta, Ga. advised that subject, on 5/6/67, met with [redacted] and JERRY PASCHAL in Atlanta. On 5/12/67, subject observed at the Bay Shore Country Club, Miami Beach, Fla., with DAVE YARIS, [redacted] and [redacted] Subscribers to telephone numbers contacted by subject set forth. Long distance toll calls set out.

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DETAILS:

FRANK ROSENTHAL maintains his residence at 2123 Northeast 122nd Street, North Miami, Florida. This is a townhouse residence located in the San Souci Manor Estates. Subject drives a 1966, dark blue, Oldsmobile bearing 1967 - 1968 Florida license 1W 96757.

ROSENTHAL's [redacted] currently resides at [redacted] North Miami, Florida.

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BUSINESS INTERESTS

FRANK ROSENTHAL maintains his position as sports consultant for Multiple Sports News Service. The business address for this establishment is 1090 Northeast 79th Street, Miami, Florida.

At the present time "line" information concerning professional baseball is being transmitted from the residence of SAM GREEN, the "paper president" of Multiple Sports News Service.

GENERAL ACTIVITIES

Daily spot checks conducted at the residence of subject and [redacted] were negative regarding his presence in Miami from April 1 through April 27, 1967.

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On May 4, 1967, the subject was observed driving in his vehicle with known associate and gambling figure MORTON PAUL KANE, at 123rd Street and Biscayne Boulevard, North Miami, Florida.

On May 12, 1967, SA RALPH R. HILL, JR., and SA [redacted] observed the subject in the company of DAVE YARIS, [redacted] at the Bay Shore Country Club, Miami Beach, Florida.

AT ATLANTA, GEORGIA

On May 10, 1967, MM T-1 advised SA [redacted] that "Lefty" ROSENTHAL, from Miami, Florida, was in Atlanta on [redacted] 1967. At this time he met with [redacted] (a major Atlanta bookmaker), and JERRY DOUGLAS PASCHAL, also known as "Jug" (partner of major gambler [redacted] in a current bookmaking operation). Source further advised that he was not aware of the purpose of this meeting in Atlanta although it was determined that ROSENTHAL was staying at the Regency Hotel, Atlanta, Georgia.

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Records of the Regency Hyatt House Hotel, as checked on May 10, 1967, revealed that Mr. I. ROSENTHAL, 8113 Biscayne Boulevard, Miami, Florida, and [redacted] 8113 Biscayne Boulevard, Miami, were at that time registered at this hotel in Room 833. The records indicated that these

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individuals arrived at 1:06 A.M., on May 5, 1967, and they indicated an expected departure date of May 8, 1967.

On May 11, 1967, two individuals were observed emerging from Room 833 of the above mentioned hotel. These individuals were identified as "Marty" SKLAROFF, and MORTON PAUL KANE.

AT CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

Investigation at Chicago reflects that subject has not been in the Chicago area since the early part of February, 1967. His whereabouts since this time are unknown by sources of the Chicago Division.

SUBSCRIBERS TO TELEPHONE NUMBERS CALLED BY SUBJECT DURING FEBRUARY, 1967

The Honolulu Division advised on May 9, 1967, as follows:

Honolulu 742-211 - Kahala-Hilton Hotel, plush tourist resort hotel;

Hilo, Hawaii 856-222 - Maunakea Beach Hotel, Kaunaoa, Hawaii - built by LAWRENCE ROCKEFELLER as plush resort hotel catering to carriage trade;

Wailuku, Maui 362-511 - Sheraton Maui Hotel, plush resort hotel at Kaanapali, Maui.

SUBSCRIBERS TO TELEPHONE NUMBERS FORMERLY CONTACTED BY SUBJECT

ATLANTA DIVISION

On April 20, 1967, the Atlanta Division advised as follows:

A review of appropriate telephone directories discloses that Atlanta, Georgia telephone number 875-0421 is the published telephone number of the N. Stein Printing Company, 2161 Monroe Drive, Northeast, Atlanta. These directories disclosed that this number has been listed to the N. Stein Printing Company since at least 1960.

AT JACKSON, GEORGIA

The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted]

On March 16, 1967, Sheriff BUD POPE, Butts County, Georgia, advised that Jackson, Georgia, telephone number 775-7868 is listed to the Gateway Luggage Company of Georgia, Inc. Sheriff POPE said that this is a manufacturing concern employing approximately 125 persons. The [redacted] of this concern is [redacted] for several years. Both Sheriff POPE and WATSON VAUGHN, Chief of Police, Jackson, Georgia, advised on March 16, 1967, that they had no record of an arrest for [redacted] Both consider [redacted] to have a good standing in the community and they knew of no activities on the part of [redacted] which would reflect unfavorably upon him. b6 b7C

During the course of another investigation it was determined that HENRY CLAYMAN, 1228 Lenox Circle, Northeast, Atlanta, is a co-owner of the Gateway Luggage Company, Jackson, Georgia. CLAYMAN is a white male, born February 16, 1920, at Kansas City, Missouri. CLAYMAN graduated from Kansas City, Missouri College in 1938, and was employed from 1938 to 1958 as general manager of N. Clayman and Sons Company, at Kansas City, Missouri. Since 1958 he has been the co-owner of the Gateway Luggage Company at Jackson, Georgia.

The files of the Atlanta Police Department as checked on April 14, 1967, contain no record identifiable with HENRY CLAYMAN.

A Dun and Bradstreet report dated May, 1965, reflects that HENRY CLAYMAN, native of Georgia, born 1920, and married, currently appears as the vice president and general manager of the Gateway Luggage Company of Georgia, Inc. This plant is located at Jackson, Georgia, and CLAYMAN has been associated with this corporation or its affiliates for a number of years.

Gateway Luggage Company of Georgia, Inc., is a Georgia corporation, chartered under Georgia laws, April 17, 1958. The business of the corporation is the manufacture of luggage withsale to wholesalers and retailers throughout the

United States. Financial details have been declined, however, worth has been estimated to be in excess of $120,000. Sales have been estimated in excess of one million dollars annually.

INDIANAPOLIS DIVISION

AT SOUTH BEND, INDIANA

The following investigation was conducted by SA GENE M. NORRIS:

South Bend Telephone Number 291-3112 (call made July 9, 1965) is listed to Wheel Horse Inc., 515 Ireland Road, South Bend, Indiana. Wheel Horse is a nationally-known tractor manufacturer, and this listing is for the main office. President of the corporation is [redacted]

On April 17, 1967, [redacted] Industrial Savings and Loan, South Bend, advised [redacted] enjoys a most favorable reputation in South Bend and has no hoodlum or gambling contacts.

On April 17, 1967, [redacted] Records, South Bend Police Department, advised she has no arrest record for [redacted] b6 b7C

LOS ANGELES DIVISION

Telephone number [redacted] has been previously identified as having been subscribed to by [redacted] West Los Angeles, California

AT SANTA MONICA, CALIFORNIA

On March 1, 1967, the records of the General Telephone Company, Santa Monica were checked by SE [redacted] These records reflect that telephone number [redacted] is subscribed to by [redacted] La Puente, California. This service was established March 5, 1962.

The records of the Los Angeles Retail Merchants Credit Association, Los Angeles, California, as checked on March 6, 1967, by Investigative Clerk [redacted] contained no report identifiable with [redacted] b6 b7C

The records of the Los Angeles Police Department (LAPD) and Los Angeles County Sheriff's Office (LACSO), as checked on March 6, 1967, by Investigative Clerk [redacted] contained no record identifiable with [redacted] (LA Puente, California is policed by LACSO).

AT NEW YORK CITY

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Date 4/4/67

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The records of [redacted]

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On 3/24/67 at New York, New York File # NY 92-3466 MM 92-726

by SA [redacted] lor Date dictated 3/29/67

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A review of the current Queens Telephone Directory disclosed telephone number 275-2300 is listed to the George A. Fuller Company, 9605 Queens Boulevard, Rego Park, New York.

Records of the Credit Bureau of Greater New York as furnished by [redacted] to IC [redacted] on March 30, 1967, contained the following information:

Credit report (no date) revealed [redacted] resided at [redacted] Riverdale, New York. Prior address was [redacted] New York. Business was listed as [redacted] New York City. His bank is the Trade Bank, 7th Avenue, and 38th Street, New York City. No derogatory information listed.

Credit report (no date) disclosed [redacted] resided at [redacted] New York City. Former addresses were [redacted] New York City, and [redacted] New York. Her business was shown as [redacted] Ozone Park, New York. She is also associated with [redacted] Street, New York City. Her bank is the Chemical Bank New York Trust Company, 8th Street and Broadway, New York City. On November 13, 1962, there was a suit by New York Telephone Company for $215.79, [redacted] On February 6, 1963, voluntary bankruptcy filed in S.W. vs. [redacted] $9135.35, assets $4825.00. No additional information.

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Records of the Bureau of Criminal Identification, New York City Police Department as caused to be checked by SA AUGUST J. MICEK on April 10, 1967, contained no criminal records by information given for below named individuals :

GEORGE A. FULLER Company
9605 Queens Boulevard
Rego Park, New York

[redacted]

[redacted] DATA

Prior investigation reflects that FRANK ROSENTHAL is [redacted] b3

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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Date 5/12/67

A subpoena duces tecum was issued by Departmental Attorney [redacted] directed to [redacted] calling for production of records in Federal Grand Jury on [redacted]

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The records of [redacted]

The above records are confidential and can only be obtained through the issuance of a subpoena duces tecum. This sbpoena should be directed to [redacted]

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On 5/9/67 at Miami, Florida File# Miami 92-726

by IC [redacted] ysb Date dictated 5/9/67

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In Reply, Please Refer to
File No. 92-726

Miami , Florida
May 24, 1967

Title FRANK LANG "Lefty" ROSENTHAL

Character ANTI-RACKETEERING; INTERSTATE GAMBLING ACTIVITIES

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Miami, Florida
May 24, 1967

RE: FRANK LANG "Lefty" ROSENTHAL
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MM T-1 is an individual who is acquainted with major gambling and bookmaking figures in the Atlanta area.

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TO: Director, FBI JUNE

FROM: SAC, Miami (92-726 Sub II)

SUBJECT: FRANK "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL
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Re Miami teletype 6/12/67.

Enclosed for the Bureau are two copies of the complaint filed in U. S. District Court, Southern District of Florida, Miami, Florida, under Civil Action No. 67-611-Civ-CA, on 6/9/67. This civil action involves [redacted] Plaintiff, vs U. S. of America and H. WAYNE SWINNEY, [redacted] Defendants.

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Referenced teletype suggested the Bureau discuss this matter with the Department looking toward their filing necessary motions to dismiss.

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6 JUN 20 1967

RE: FRANK "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL
ENCL: 2 Copies of complaint dated 6/9/67
TO: Director, FBI
FROM: SAC, Miami (92-726 Sub II)

Transmitted by Miami airtel to Bureau, 6/12/67

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JOSEPH [illegible] COURT
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MIAMI, FLA.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA

CIVIL ACTION NO. 67-611-CIV-EA

[redacted] :

Plaintiff, :

vs. : COMPLAINT

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, :
and H. WAYNE SWINNEY, [redacted] :

[redacted] :

Defendants. :

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COMES NOW the plaintiff, [redacted] by and through her undersigned attorneys, and sues the defendants, UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, H. WAYNE SWINNEY, [redacted] and would show unto the Court as follows:

COUNT I

1. The plaintiff is a citizen of the United States and is a resident of Dade County, Florida. The defendants, H. WAYNE SWINNEY, [redacted] are agents or employees of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, an agency of the United States. The claim of the plaintiff under this Count arises by virtue of the provisions of the Federal Court Claims Act, 28 U.S.C.A. 2671 et seq. This Court has jurisdiction under the provisions of 28 U.S.C.A. 1346 (b).

2. On or about July 7, 1964, H. WAYNE SWINNEY, [redacted] or some person unknown to plaintiff but acting in accordance with instructions and directions of the said agents or employees of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, did unlawfully break into and trespass upon the premises

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leased by and occupied by the plaintiff as her home at [redacted] North Miami, Florida. After having unlawfully broken into and having entered upon the premises of the plaintiff without her consent, the said agents or employees of the Federal Bureau of Investigation did install or cause to be installed a hidden microphone in the said apartment. This microphone was intentionally installed for the purpose of invading the privacy of the plaintiff by eavesdropping upon private conversations of the plaintiff in the seclusion of her home.

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3. Thereafter the said agents or employees of the Federal Bureau of Investigation did utilize or cause to be utilized the hidden microphone which they had installed or caused to be installed in the home of the plaintiff to eavesdrop upon plaintiff and invade her privacy by listening to conversations of the plaintiff without her consent. Such eavesdropping and invasion of privacy continued daily from early morning until midnight of each day from on or about July 7, 1964 until on or about July 12, 1965. Plaintiff did not learn of such illegal entry into her home or such illegal eavesdropping and invasion of privacy until on or about March 2, 1967.

4. Plaintiff alleges that the said illegal and unlawful acts of trespass and invasion of privacy by the said agents or employees of the Federal Bureau of Investigation as hereinabove set forth were done by them while acting within the scope of their office or employment as agents or employees of the Federal Bureau of Investigation under circumstances where the United States, if a private person, would be liable to the plaintiff in accordance with the laws of the State of Florida.

5. Plaintiff seeks damages for the illegal initial trespass and the continuing trespass upon her premises and for the illegal invasion of plaintiff's privacy. Plaintiff has suffered extreme mental pain and anguish, embarrassment and humiliation by virtue of the acts of the said agents of the United States as hereinabove set forth.

WHEREFORE plaintiff sues the United States and demands judgment against the United States in the sum of ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND AND NO/100 DOLLARS ($100,000.00), together with the costs of this action.

COUNT II

1. The claim of the plaintiff under this Count arises under the Civil Rights Acts, and in particular, under the provisions of 42 U.S.C.A. §1985. This Court has jurisdiction under the provisions of 28 U.S.C.A. §1343.

2. Plaintiff is a citizen of the United States and a resident of Dade County, Florida. The defendants, H. WAYNE SWINNEY, [redacted] are agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, an agency of the United States, and reside in Dade County, Florida. b6 b7C

3. Commencing on or about July 7, 1964, and continuing to on or about July 12, 1965, the defendants herein did conspire and agree with each other, and with other persons whose names to plaintiff are presently unknown, to deprive plaintiff of the equal protection of the laws and to deprive plaintiff of the equal privileges and immunities under the laws of the United States in the manner following, to-wit:

(a) At all times material to this action the plaintiff occupied as her home an apartment located at 2123 N.E. 122nd Street, North Miami, Florida, as a tenant, together with her then husband. As a citizen of the United States she was entitled to the privileges and immunities guaranteed to citizens of the United States and to the equal protection of the laws of the United States and, in particular, she was entitled under the Constitution of the United States to the right to be secure in her person and house against unreasonable searches and seizures, against unlawful and unreasonable governmental intrusion, against illegal breaking and entering into her home by government agents and against the surreptitious and unlawful eavesdropping by government agents upon conversations of the plaintiff in the seclusion of her home.

(b) Notwithstanding the protection of the laws guaranteed to the plaintiff by the Constitution of the United States, the defendants conspired and agreed with each other, and with other persons whose names are unknown to the plaintiff, to unlawfully break and enter into the home of the plaintiff and to conceal a microphone in the home of the plaintiff and to unlawfully eavesdrop upon conversations of the plaintiff without her consent and in the privacy of her home, all in violation of the plaintiff's rights under the Constitution of the United States.

4. One or more of the defendants, in furtherance of the conspiracy as hereinabove set forth, did do, or cause to be done, the following acts in furtherance of the objects of the conspiracy, to-wit:

(a) One or more of the defendants did unlawfully break and enter into the home of the plaintiff;

(b) One or more of the defendants did unlawfully conceal or cause to be concealed a microphone in the home of the plaintiff without her knowledge or consent;

(c) One or more of the defendants did unlawfully utilize the hidden microphone to monitor and eavesdrop upon the private conversations of the plaintiff in the seclusion of her home, which monitoring and eavesdropping was continued from early morning to midnight of almost every day from July 7, 1964 to July 12, 1965.

5. By virtue of the conspiracy, and the acts of the defendants in furtherance of the conspiracy as hereinabove set forth, the plaintiff sustained damages in that she was deprived of her right of privacy, was embarrassed and humiliated, and caused to suffer great mental anguish, was deprived of her rights and privileges under the Constitution of the United States to be secure in her person and house against unreasonable searches, seizures and intrusions by the defendants and was denied the protection of the laws as afforded to other citizens of the United States against unreasonable intrusions by governmental agents.

WHEREFORE the plaintiff demands judgment against the defendants jointly and severally in the sum of ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND AND NO/100 DOLLARS ($100,000.00), together with the costs of this action.

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Plaintiff

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CARR & WARREN
1408 Ainsley Building
Miami, Florida 33132

BY [redacted]
Attorneys for Plaintiff

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

REPORTING OFFICE	OFFICE OF ORIGIN	DATE	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD
MIAMI	MIAMI	6/16/67	4/13/67 - 6/16/67

TITLE OF CASE

FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL, aka

REPORT MADE BY [redacted] TYPED BY fp

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REFERENCE: Re report of SA [redacted] 5/24/67 at Miami.

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ENCLOSURES TO: BUREAU (2)

Enclosed for Bureau is the original and one (1) copy of the letterhead memorandum characterizing informants utilized in this report.

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MIAMI

AT MIAMI, FLORIDA

Investigation continuing regarding activities of subject and associates.

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Case has been: Pending over one year [X] Yes [ ] No; Pending prosecution over six months [ ] Yes [X] No

APPROVED SPECIAL AGENT IN CHARGE

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(Attn: Departmental Attorney [redacted]
2 - Miami (92-726)

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Dissemination Record of Attached Report

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ADMINISTRATIVE

Telephone Data

(A) Miami Division

Information regarding Miami telephone [redacted] was obtained from [redacted] (Protect) [redacted] Little River, Florida.

(B) Milwaukee Division

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Information regarding Milwaukee Wisconsin telephone number was furnished to S.E. [redacted] by [redacted] (Protect) [redacted] Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

INFORMANTS

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MM T-1 is [redacted]

MM T-2 [redacted]

MM T-3 is [redacted]

MM T-4 is [redacted]

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Copy to: 1 - U.S. Attorney, Miami
(Attn: Departmental Attorney [redacted]

Report of: [redacted]
Date: 6/16/67

Office: Miami, Florida

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Field Office File #: 92-726

Bureau File #: 92-6692

Title: FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL

Character: ANTI-RACKETEERING; INTERSTATE GAMBLING ACTIVITIES

Synopsis:

ROSENTHAL resides in North Miami, Florida. [redacted] b6 b7C subject's former wife filed civil suit in Southern District of Florida against United States and H. WAYNE SWINNEY. [redacted]

Subject observed the day before bombing at American Epicure Market, Miami Beach, Florida. Source in New Orleans, Louisiana advised ROSENTHAL trying to peddle his sports line in New Orleans area. [redacted] b3

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DETAILS:

AT MIAMI, FLORIDA

FRANK ROSENTHAL continues to maintain residence at 2123 N.E. 122nd Street.

Subject drives a 1966 dark blue Oldsmobile, bearing 1967 Florida license 1W-96757.

ROSENTHAL's former wife, [redacted] is now residing with [redacted] North Miami, Florida. b6 b7C

On May 30, 1967, MM T-1 advised that subject's [redacted] was going to be [redacted] held at the Gigi Room, Fontainebleau Hotel, Miami Beach, Florida. Source stated that [redacted] from New York City whose last name was [redacted] b6 b7C b7D

CIVIL LAW SUIT - [redacted] vs. H. WAYNE SWINNEY ET AL

On June 9, 1967, a civil suit was filed in the Southern District of Florida, Miami, Florida by the plaintiff, [redacted] vs. the United States of America and H. WAYNE SWINNEY, [redacted] and [redacted] The attorneys representing the plaintiff are [redacted] and [redacted] of the law firm CARR and WARREN, their offices in the Ainsley Building, Miami, Florida. b6 b7C

In Count #1 of this suit the plaintiff sues the United States and demands judgment against the United States in the sum of $100,000. together with the cost of this action. In general terms count #1 alleges that employees of the FBI unlawfully broke into and entered upon the premises of the plaintiff (who was then the wife of FRANK ROSENTHAL) and did utilize or cause to be utilized the hidden microphone which they had installed or caused to be installed in the home of the plaintiff. The plaintiff

alleges that said illegal and unlawful acts of trespass and invasion of privacy were done by employees of the FBI, in their scope of employment.

In Count #2 of the civil action the plaintiff demands judgment against the defendants jointly and severally in the sum of $100,000. together with the cost of this action.

The claim of the plaintiff under count #2 arises under the Civil Rights Acts and in particular under the provisions of 42 U.S.C.A. Section 1985.

BUSINESS INTERESTS

FRANK ROSENTHAL maintains his position as sports consultant or Handicapper for Multiple Sports News Service. The business address for this enterprise is 1090 N.E. 79th Street, Miami, Florida. Day to day business is handled from the residence of SAMUEL GREEN "Paper President" who lives at 1865 N.E. 207th Street, Dade County, Florida.

On June 12, 1967 EDWARD COWART advised that the affirmation of the 3rd District Court of Appeals Decision in case styled SAMUEL GREEN,DBA Multiple Sports News Service is cited in 192 Southern 2nd 310.

COWART further stated that FRANK ROSENTHAL acting in the capacity as an agent of the Multiple Sports News Service appeared before the Public Utilities Commission on June 6, 1967. This hearing was held in regard to the reestablishment of telephone service at the former working address of Multiple Sports News Service,1090 N.E. 79th Street, Miami, Florida.

GENERAL ACTIVITIES

Previous investigation reflected that on January 24, 1967 the Hamilton Realty Office Building was blown up. It is to be noted that Hamilton Realty is the Real Estate Agency which handles the leasing for the Town House residences where subject is presently living.

On June 5, 1967, [redacted] writer for Life Magazine, advised that in a recent interview with [redacted] "jewel thief and associate of subject" he made the remark that the bombing at Hamilton Realty was something that "LEFTY would do". b6 b7C

On June 12, 1967, Assistant Chief of Police [redacted] (NA) North Miami, Florida, stated his department has developed nothing new in the bombing of the Hamilton Realty Building. He related that right from the inception of their investigation ROSENTHAL was considered a prime suspect although their was no positive information or evidence that could link him with this bombing.

BOMBING; AMERICAN EPICURE MARKET, MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA

On June 6, 1967, a bomb shattered the windows and blew a hole in the rear wall of the American Epicure Market. It is noted that this enterprise is located next door to Alfie's Sundries the latter is owned and operated by ALFRED MART a long time Miami area bookmaking figure.

Investigation by the Miami Beach Police Department reflects an employee of American Epicure Market has positively identified a photograph of subject as the individual she saw going through garbage cans in back of the market the day before the bombing. According to this individual ROSENTHAL was accompanied by an unknown male who was Latin in appearance and small in stature.

PASSPORT DATA

[redacted] Passport Office, Department of State advised SA [redacted] on April 18, 1967, May 1, 1967, and May 31, 1967 that searches had been made of the passport files but no record of a passport application by subject under his listed names could be located. b6 b7C

IDENTIFICATION OF TELEPHONE SUBSCRIBERS CALLED BY SUBJECT -- FEBRUARY, 1967

HONOLULU DIVISION

Telephone 742-211 is listed to the Kahala Hilton Hotel.

Telephone 856-222 is listed to the Maunakea Beach Hotel at Kaunaoa, Hawaii.

Telephone 362-511 is listed to the Sheraton Maui Hotel in Kaanapali, Maui.

On May 8, 1967 MM T-2 advised that subject's photograph was unfamiliar as the individual who had been a former guest at the Sheraton Hotel in Honolulu.

On May 16, 1967, MM T-3 advised that ROSENTHAL's photo is unfamiliar to her as a former guest at the Hilton Hawaii Village Hotel in Waikiki.

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GRANT: The following investigation was conducted by SA ROBERT M.

At Kaanapali, Maui, Hawaii

On May 17, 1967, [redacted] Sheraton Maui Hotel, furnished the following information:

[redacted] registered into the hotel on February 17, 1967, and showed their home address as [redacted] Chicago, Illinois. They stayed in room 363 and checked out on February 20, 1967. They registered on registration card #KB15593. The hotel records do not show any long distance telephone calls.

The records show [redacted] registered with [redacted] and [redacted] Chicago, Illinois. The [redacted] came and went at the same time as the [redacted] There were no mainland telephone calls made by [redacted] They were registered into room 364 and signed registration card #KB15594. b6 b7C

According to the records room 363 was empty on February 15 and 16, 1967.

A search of the records failed to disclose anyone by the name of ROSENTHAL having registered into the Sheraton Maui Hotel during April 1967.

[redacted] furnished copies of the above two registration cards.

At Wailuku, Maui, Hawaii

On May 18, 1967, [redacted] Credit Bureau of Hawaii, Maui Division, said her records were negative for [redacted] and ROSENTHAL.

On the same date Lt. [redacted] Officer, Maui County Police Department, advised his records are negative concerning the above individuals.

The following investigation was conducted by SA HARRY L. ALBRECHT:

AT KAUNAOA, HAWAII

On May 10, 1967 [redacted] Maunakea Beach Hotel, checked his records for subject under various combinations of his name and also under the name [redacted] but could find no information regarding him. He advised there has been no guest by the name of ROSENTHAL at the hotel since it has been in operation.

The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted] b6 b7C

AT HONOLULU, HAWAII

On May 9, 1967 [redacted] Kahala Hilton Hotel, checked registration records from February 1 through April 30, 1967, inclusive, and advised that the hotel had no registered guests through that period by the name of ROSENTHAL or [redacted]

A photograph of subject exhibited to [redacted] above, [redacted] and desk clerks on duty at the Kahala Hilton Hotel, on 5/17/67 revealed that no one resembling the subject was known to have been a guest at that hotel in recent months.

IDENTIFICATION OF TELEPHONE SUBSCRIBERS CALLED ON PREVIOUS OCCASIONS BY SUBJECT

CHARLOTTE DIVISION

[redacted] Attorney was the subscriber in 1963 to Charlotte telephone 377-5469.

An inquiry at the North Carolina Bank, Charlotte, on May 22, 1967 reflected that there is currently no attorney by the name of [redacted] occupying office space in the building. On May 23, 1967, an inquiry was made at the law firm of Sanders & Walker, Law Building, Charlotte, North Carolina. It was ascertained that [redacted] Charlotte, N.C., is commonly known as [redacted] b6 b7C

A check at the Credit Bureau of Charlotte on May 25, 1967, reflects that [redacted] Attorney, law firm of Sanders & Walker, residence [redacted] Charlotte, N.C., was appointed City Solicitor for the City of Charlotte in 1953 and resigned in 1957 to enter the private practive of law.

In 1963, according to the records of the Credit Bureau, [redacted] was age [redacted] in 1963 and a veteran of the U.S. Navy.

No other [redacted] were located as practicing attorneys in the City of Charlotte, N.C., as reflected in the 1966 Edition of Martendals Hubbell Law Directory.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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Date May 24, 1967

The records of [redacted]

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The above information is confidential and can be made public only upon the issuance of a subpoena duces tecum directed to [redacted]

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On 5/12/67 at Milwaukee, Wisconsin File# MI 92-531

by SA [redacted]ces Date dictated 5/18/67

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At Milwaukee, Wisconsin

On May 17, 1967, the files of the Credit Bureau of Milwaukee, Incorporated, 611 North Broadway, were searched and credit file located for residing at Latest report dated June 16, 1965, reflects his date of birth to be and employed by Gary, Indiana, as No judgments or liens were noted on the file. Wife not employed.

On May 17, 1967, the files of the Credit Bureau of Milwaukee, Incorporated, 611 North Broadway, reflected credit file for ELLEN MUELLER, 9302 West Lincoln Avenue. Latest report in the file was dated April 28, 1958, listing her as the widow of BERNARD (MUELLER) with date of birth of September 28, 1916, and unemployed on social security. Report reflected she was previously employed by the Interstate Finance Company, position not listed. No liens or judgments were noted on the file. b6 b7C

On May 17, 1967, Clerk Bureau of Identification, West Allis Police Department (a suburb of Milwaukee) in whose jurisdiction 9302 West Lincoln Avenue is located, advised that the records of her department reflect no information regarding ELLEN MUELLER.

On May 17, 1967, Bureau of Identification, Milwaukee Police Department, advised that the arrest reocrds of his department reflect the following arrests for date of birth

December 23, 1957, auto speed, $20 including costs
October 27, 1959, auto speed, $25 including costs
July 13, 1963, left turn, ordinance $10 stipulated

On May 17, 1967, Bureau of Identification, Milwaukee County Sheriff's Office, advised that a search of the records of her department reflected no information regarding

[redacted] or ELLEN MUELLER. b6 b7C

Indices at Milwaukee negative re [redacted] and MUELLER.

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NEWARK DIVISION

The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted]

Name of [redacted] is unknown to investigations previously conducted in the Newark Division.

Files of the Credit Bureau of Ocean and Monmouth Counties, Asbury Park, N.J., as made available on April 13, 1967, by [redacted] reflected that [redacted] resides with husband [redacted] at [redacted] Eatontown, N.J. b6 b7C

Their files disclosed that the husband is employed with [redacted] place not specified, and [redacted] has been employed for the past [redacted] for the New Jersey National Bank, Asbury Park, N.J. No other information was available in credit files.

Records of the Monmouth County Identification Bureau, Freehold, N.J., as reviewed by [redacted] on April 13, 1967, contained no information regarding [redacted] or her husband [redacted]

PUBLICATION OF NATIONAL SPORTS LINE

AT NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA

During April, 1967, MM T-4 advised SA REED W. JENSEN that ROSENTHAL is trying to peddle his sports line and intelligence information to people in the New Orleans area. He knows that ROSENTHAL has contacted the nationally known gambler SAM DI PIAZZA, who operates out of New Orleans, but he does not know if DI PIAZZA has subscribed to this service. Source states that ROSENTHAL usually puts out his first baseball line at about 9:00 A.M. each day of baseball activity.

Source states as a practical matter the big gamblers in the New Orleans area have little use for ROSENTHAL's line other than to compare it with other local and out-of-state lines. Historically, it could not be considered a "National line".

[redacted] DATA

Previous investigation reflects that FRANK ROSENTHAL is [redacted]

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Previous investigation has established that FRANK ROSENTHAL during the latter part of March and for the most part of April, 1967, was out of the Miami area.

In order to show the probable location of subject during this time period [redacted]

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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Date 5/24/67

A subpoena duces tecum was issued by Departmental Attorney [redacted] directed to [redacted] calling for production of records in Federal Grand Jury on [redacted]

The records of [redacted]

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On 5/18/67 at Miami, Florida File# Miami 92-726

by IC [redacted] fs Date dictated 5/19/67

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date June 16, 1967

A subpoena duces tecum was issued by Departmental Attorney [redacted] directed to [redacted] calling for production of records in Federal Grand Jury on [redacted]

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On 6/8/67 at Miami, Florida File# Miami 165-346

by IC [redacted]ed Date dictated 6/14/67

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Date 6/15/67

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On 6/8/67 at Miami, Florida File # Miami 165-346

by IC [redacted] /jd Date dictated 6/9/67

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to File No.

Miami, Florida
June 16, 1967

Title FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL, aka

Character ANTI-RACKETEERING; INTERSTATE GAMBLING ACTIVITIES

Reference is made to report of Special Agent [redacted] dated and captioned as above, at Miami.

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All sources (except any listed below) whose identities are concealed in referenced communication have furnished reliable information in the past.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to File No.

Miami, Florida
June 16, 1967

RE: FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL, aka

Reference is made to report of SA [redacted] b6 b7C dated and captioned as above, at Miami.

The following is a characterization of the informants utilized in the above referenced report:

MM T-1 is an individual who comes into contact with certain members of gambling and hoodlum element in Miami, Floria.

MM T-2 is an individual, because of his employment comes into contact with certain members of the criminal element in the Honolulu, Hawaii area.

MM T-3 is an individual who because of her employment comes into contact with members of the criminal element in the Honolulu, Hawaii area.

MM T-4 is an individual who is familiar with the nation wide sports betting and bookmaking field.

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5:45 PM URGENT 6/12/67 SHR

TO DIRECTOR

FROM MIAMI 92-726 SUB II

FRANK "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL; ~~ELSUR~~ ELECTRONIC SURVEILLANCE.

[redacted] AS PLAINTIFF, SUED U. S. GOVERNMENT, SAS H. WAYNE SWINNEY, [redacted] AND [redacted] FOR TWO HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS IN U. S. DISTRICT COURT, SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA, MIAMI, ON JUNE NINE, SIXTYSEVEN. SUMMONS SERVED ON U. S. ATTORNEY, SWINNEY, [redacted] INSTANT DATE, GIVING SIXTY DAYS TO ANSWER COMPLAINT. b6 b7C

SAS [redacted] NO LONGER IN MIAMI DIVISION AND PURSUANT TO INSTRUCTIONS OF DEPARTMENTAL ATTORNEY [redacted] MIAMI REFUSED TO ACCEPT SERVICE OF SUMMONS AND DID NOT FURNISH LOCATION OF THESE AGENTS.

PLAINTIFF [redacted] (FORMER WIFE OF FRANK "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL,) CHARGED IN TWO COUNTS THAT ABOVE AGENTS OR EMPLOYEES OF FBI OR OTHERS ACTING UNDER THE DIRECTION OF SAID AGENTS OR EMPLOYEES DID UNLAWFULLY BREAK INTO AND TRESPASS UPON THE PREMISES OF THE PLAINTIFF AT TWO ONE TWO THREE NORTHEAST ONE HUNDRED TWENTY SECOND ~~ST~~ STREET., NORTH MIAMI, ~~FLA.~~ FLORIDA.

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MR. DELOACH FOR THE DIRECTOR

THEREAFTER INSTALLED A HIDDEN MICROPHONE FOR THE PURPOSE OF INVADING THE PRIVACY OF THE PLAINTIFF BY EAVESDROPPING. THE SUIT CHARGES THIS EAVESDROPPING AND INVASION OF PRIVACY CONTINUED DAILY FROM MORNING UNTIL MIDNIGHT EACH DAY FROM ABOUT JULY SEVEN, SIXTYFOUR TO JULY TWELVE, SIXTYFIVE. SUIT ALLEGES PLAINTIFF HAS SUFFERED EXTREME MENTAL PAIN AND ANGUISH, EMBARRASSMENT AND HUMILIATION.

COUNT TWO CLAIM ARISES UNDER THE CIVIL RIGHTS ACTS UNDER PROVISIONS OF FORTYTWO, ~~U.S.C.A., NO. ONE NINE EIGHT FIVE~~ U.S. CODE ANNOTATED, NUMBER 1985, AND CHARGES IN SUBSTANCE VIOLATIONS AS IN COUNT ONE CONCERNING INVASION OF PRIVACY AND EMBARRASSMENT AND HUMILIATION, AS WELL AS SUFFERING GREAT MENTAL ANGUISH, DEPRIVING HER OF HER RIGHTS AND PRIVILEGES UNDER THE CONSTITUTION.

COPIES OF THE COMPLAINT IN THE CIVIL ACTION ARE BEING FORWARDED BY AIRTEL. ABOVE CIVIL SUIT AROSE AS A RESULT OF DISCLOSURE BY THE DEPARTMENT IN THE ~~ITWT~~ Interstate Transmission of Wagering Information CONVICTION OF NATIONWIDE GAMBLING FIGURE GILBERT LEE BECKLEY AND OTHERS.

IT IS RECOMMENDED THE BUREAU DISCUSS THIS MATTER WITH THE DEPARTMENT FOR APPROPRIATE ACTION IN FILING MOTIONS TO DISMISS.

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CC: MR. GALE

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The Attorney General

June 14, 1967

Director, FBI

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1 - Mr. DeLoach
1 - Mr. Rosen
1 - Mr. Gale
1 - Mr. McAndrews
1 - Mr. Newpher

**FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL
INTERSTATE TRANSMISSION OF
WAGERING INFORMATION;
INTERSTATE TRANSPORTATION
IN AID OF RACKETEERING**

On March 6, 1967, during the trial of Gilbert Lee Beckley, a member of the upper echelon of the gambling fraternity, the Department disclosed the use of an electronic surveillance at the residence of Frank Lang "Lefty" Rosenthal, 2123 Northeast 122nd Street, North Miami, Florida, from July 7, 1964, to July 12, 1965. Rosenthal has operated Multiple Sports News Service, Miami, Florida, and is one of the major disseminators of gambling "line" information in the United States. This surveillance was specifically authorized by former Attorney General Nicholas deB. Katzenbach on April 12, 1965, and was previously instituted under the general authorization given by former Attorney General Robert F. Kennedy.

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On June 9, 1967, [redacted] former wife of Rosenthal, as plaintiff, filed suit against the United States Government, FBI Agents H. Wayne Swinney, [redacted] as well as Bureau employees [redacted] and [redacted] for $200,000 in United States District Court, Southern District of Florida, Miami, Florida. Summonses were served on the United States Attorney, Miami, Agent Swinney and Bureau employees [redacted] on June 12, 1967, giving sixty days to answer the complaint. On instructions of Departmental Attorney [redacted] the Bureau's Miami Office refused to accept service of summonses on Agents [redacted] and [redacted] who are no longer assigned to the Miami Office. b6 b7C

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The suit charges in two counts that the above-mentioned Agents or employees of the FBI, or others acting under the direction of those Agents or employees, unlawfully broke into and trespassed upon the premises of [redacted] (then Mrs. Rosenthal) at the above-listed address and thereafter installed a hidden microphone for the purpose of invading

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the privacy of the plaintiff by eavesdropping; that this eavesdropping and invasion of privacy continued daily from morning until midnight each day from about July 7, 1964, to July 12, 1965. The suit alleges plaintiff has suffered extreme mental pain and anguish, embarrassment and humiliation.

Count two of the suit is based on the Civil Rights Acts under provisions of Title 42, United States Code, Section 1985, and charges in substance violations as in count one concerning invasion of privacy and embarrassment and humiliation, as well as suffering great mental anguish, depriving her of her rights and privileges under the Constitution.

It is requested this Bureau be advised as to action contemplated by the Department in opposing this suit.

1 - Mr. Fred M. Vinson, Jr.
Assistant Attorney General

1 - Mr. Carl Eardley
Acting Assistant Attorney General

1 - Mr. John Doar
Assistant Attorney General

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FROM DIRECTOR FBI (92-6692) ~~REC 25~~

FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL, AKA, AR; IGA.

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RELIABILITY OF INFORMANT; DEPARTMENTAL ATTORNEY [redacted] b6 b7C OPINION REGARDING JURISDICTION; WILLINGNESS OF INFORMANT TO TESTIFY; IDENTITIES AND LOCATIONS OF SOURCES WHERE INFORMANT OBTAINED EXPLOSIVES PREVIOUSLY FURNISHED TO ROSENTHAL; HOW MIAMI INTENDS TO UTILIZE RECORDING EQUIPMENT, IF USE AUTHORIZED.

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SPECIAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

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Attached teletype reports that former wife of nationally prominent gambler Frank Lefty Rosenthal has filed civil suit against United States Government and Bureau personnel as a result of Department disclosure in Gil Beckley gambling case that Bureau had maintained microphone coverage on Rosenthal. Former Attorney General Katzenbach approved the continuance of this microphone on 4/12/65. Attorney General being advised by memorandum of filing of this suit and being requested to inform Bureau as to action contemplated by Department in opposing this litigation.

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The Attorney General

June 28, 1967

Director, FBI

1 - Mr. DeLoach
1 - Mr. Rosen
1 - Mr. Sullivan
1 - Mr. Gale
1 - Mr. McAndrews
1 - Mr. Baker

FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL
ANTI-RACKETEERING

Reference is made to my letter dated June 27, 1967, in captioned matter.

As you were informed, a confidential source has advised that Rosenthal, since the Spring of 1965, has obtained [redacted] b7D This source will not testify to any information he furnished in the event of any prosecution of Rosenthal.

This entire matter was discussed by our Miami Office with Departmental Attorney [redacted] b6 b7C who, on June 26, 1967, advised that there was no Federal violation involved in connection with this matter. In view of [redacted] opinion our Miami Office, on a confidential basis, is furnishing all pertinent information concerning this matter to appropriate local authorities. This matter will be closed followed and, in the event information is developed which indicates a Federal violation is evident, you will be promptly advised.

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1 - Mr. Fred M. Vinson, Jr.
Assistant Attorney General

NOTE: See Memo Gale to DeLoach, captioned as above, dated 6/28/67, WPB:tjm:msm

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TO SAC MIAMI (92-726)

FROM DIRECTOR FBI (92-6692)

FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL, AKA; ANTI-RACKETEERING.

REURTELS JULY SIX, LAST.

ENTIRE FACTS SET FORTH RE TELS BEING FURNISHED DEPARTMENT FOR ADVICE AND/OR OPINION. NO ACTION SHOULD BE TAKEN WITH RESPECT TO PROPOSALS OF DA [redacted] UNTIL ADVISED BY BUREAU. b6 b7C

NOTE: See memorandum Gale to DeLoach, same caption, dated 7/7/67, WPB:sga.

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AT MIAMI, FLORIDA

Investigation continuing regarding activities of subject and associates.

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Information copy of this report being afforded the Chicago Division in view of their investigation of subject.

TELEPHONE DATA

A. MIAMI DIVISION

Information regarding Miami telephone numbers [redacted] obtained from [redacted] (protect), [redacted] Florida. b6 b7C b7D

B. CHICAGO DIVISION

[redacted] Illinois Bell Telephone Company, Chicago, Illinois, advised on June 20, 1967, that the records for the following Chicago area telephone numbers have been destroyed: b6 b7C

CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

DE 7-8651
337-3338
DE 5-4302
777-5886
RO 4-2829

CICERO, ILLINOIS

656-9888

MAYWOOD, ILLINOIS

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He stated it is the consensus of people in the business that ZION [redacted] b7D According to LEVITT, ZION is continually in and out of debt although seems to have the right connections in order to meet his financial responsibilities.

LEVITT stated that during the 1966 football season, ZION was a subscriber to the services of MSNS. He was paying either $100 or $150 for the service inasmuch as FRANK ROSENTHAL found out that he was bootlegging the information to some other prominent figures in the bookmaking business. These included ABIE BROWN, CHARLES KAUFMAN and two other unidentified individuals. ZION denied his bootlegging maneuvers to ROSENTHAL and continually charged ROSENTHAL during the season with putting out, on occasion, a false line. LEVITT indicated that ROSENTHAL, during the start of the 1967 major league baseball season, increased his weekly service fee and ZION refused to pay the additional sum. no loc.

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LEVITT stated that he knew little about the bookmaking operation of JACK "CHAPPIE" RAND. He did know that RAND was a close associate of MICKEY ZION but did not know if they had ever been actual bookmaking partners. no loc.

LEVITT continued, stating that ALFIE MART had a notorious reputation for being in debt to shylocks, bookmakers and even his betting customers. He was not aware of any bootlegging arrangement between MICKEY ZION and ALFIE MART although he felt MART had access to line information from Las Vegas. LEVITT further said that MART had always been a customer of MSNS but had not heard of any increase in price by ROSENTHAL for the services provided by MSNS. Alfred Nevada FBI # 84506D 1211 100th St Bay Harbor Island Florida

In conclusion, LEVITT stated that the services rendered by MSNS have decreased immeasurably since its inception in the Spring of 1963. He listed the following as some of the main reasons for the decrease in importance:

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1. Unable to utilize phone service at the offices of MSNS, 1090 N. E. 79th Street, Miami.

2. Unable to effectively use the services of the Western Union Sports Ticker.

3. Failure to provide inning by inning, quarter by quarter, or period by period results of football, basketball and baseball contests.

4. Numerous objections to the publication of a false line.

5. Lack of control of customers which made it necessary to put out pertinent line information just prior to the starting times of the various athletic events. He explained the last reason as fear of bootlegging by the subscribers.

6. Pressure by local and Federal investigative agencies on the activities of MSNS and its operators, FRANK ROSENTHAL and STANLEY GREEN. It was LEVITT's opinion that there are presently only one-half dozen bookmakers who are subscribing to the baseball line published by MSNS.

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DETAILS:

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

AT NORTH MIAMI, FLORIDA

FRANK ROSENTHAL maintains his townhouse residence at 2123 N. E. 122nd Street.

Subject drives a 1966 dark blue Oldsmobile bearing 1967 Florida license 1W-96757.

[redacted] is now residing with [redacted] North Miami, Florida. b6 b7C

BUSINESS INTERESTS - MULTIPLE SPORTS NEWS SERVICE, MIAMI, FLORIDA

FRANK ROSENTHAL continues to represent himself as the Sports Consultant for Multiple Sports News Service (MSNS). At the present time this service is putting out "line" information in reference to major league baseball. The day to day business operation is being carried on at the residence of SAMUEL GREEN, 1865 N. E. 207th Street, Dade County, Florida. Thelatter individual is the "paper" President of the business.

On July 7, 1967, MM T-1 advised that [redacted] At that time, ROSENTHAL [redacted] had gone out of business insofar as publishing a sports journal and publishing the "line" for various bookmaking and betting customers. [redacted] just prior to going out of business he was servicing about six customers with "line" information. The cost per customer was not a set amount and varied according to what the particular customer's business would bear. b7D

ROSENTHAL did not [redacted] the recent bombings in the Miami area. [redacted] several of his customers had been "bootlegging" his service to other former subscribers but [redacted] this matter. b7D

In conclusion, [redacted] in spite of the continual harassment brought upon him by the FBI he would in the near future be able to re-establish his telephone service at the Morton Building and would again continue his legitimate business in disseminating the sports "line" and publishing a sports journal on a weekly basis.

On July 7, 1967, [redacted] Miami, related that [redacted] sports journal published by MSNS. He indicated that for the past several weeks [redacted] He stated that neither STANLEY GREEN or FRANK ROSENTHAL [redacted] that they were going out of business. b6 b7C

INFORMATION CONCERNING [redacted]

On June 26, 1967, CARL EARDELY, Acting Assistant Attorney General, Civil Division, Department of Justice, Washington, D. C., made a request that a general background investigation should be entertained with regard to above individual in view of her civil suit against the United States and several individual FBI employees. b6 b7C

In regard to this background investigation the following is noted:

BACKGROUND DATA REGARDING [redacted]

Date of birth
Place of birth
Parents

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BACKGROUND REGARDING [redacted] FRANK ROSENTHAL on [redacted] Miami Beach, Florida. [redacted]

[redacted] June 1, 1964, parties lived at Apartment 218, 8000 West Drive, North Bay Village, Florida. From June 2, 1964, until June, 1966, parties resided at 2133 N. E. 122nd Street, North Miami, Florida.

From [redacted] resided with [redacted] North Miami, Florida. [redacted] continues residence with [redacted] North Miami, Florida.

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In July, 1966, [redacted] filed a Complaint for Divorce in the Circuit Court of the Eleventh Judicial Circuit In and For Dade County, Florida. On September 7, 1966, Judge FRANCIS J. CHRISTIE ordered a Final Decree of Divorce for [redacted]

On July 5, 1967, IC [redacted] checked the records of the below named agencies with negative results regarding [redacted] also known as [redacted]

Miami Beach Police Department
Dade County Public Safety Department
Miami Municipal Court
Credit Bureau of Greater Miami
Miami Police Department

On June 17, 1967, the following article appeared in the "Miami Herald" newspaper, Miami, Florida:

"LEFTY's EX SUES U.S.

"The ex-wife of playboy gambler LEFTY ROSENTHAL says the FBI used to bug her too -- but she didn't find out about it until recently.

"So ROBERTA FEINER, who has shed LEFTY and his name, wants the courts to come to her rescue again.

"She has charged Uncle Sam and five FBI agents with electronic snooping and figures the bill for her 'mental pain and embarrassment' should be $200,000.

"In a federal court suit filed in Miami, ROBERTA says she was LEFTY's better half while all that bugging was going on at their old apartment at 2123 NE 122nd St., North Miami. She added that if the agents didn't wire the place for sound themselves they had an agent's 'agent' do it.

"The suit, to be heard by Judge CLYDE ATKINS, charged that a microphone was installed in the apartment from July 7, 1964, and remained until July 12, 1965.

"The federal government and the agents are accused of invasion of privacy and violation of the Civil Rights Act.

"The agents named are H. WAYNE SWINNEY, CYRUS T. MALLS JR., RICHARD MOEHLE, BUFORD MOSELY, and LANE BONNER. "

DISCLOSURE HEARING, U. S. DISTRICT COURT, WASHINGTON, D. C., JUNE 28, 1967, REGARDING MICROPHONE COVERAGE OF THE RESIDENCE OF FRANK ROSENTHAL

On June 28, June 29, and June 30, 1967, a disclosure hearing was held before U. S. District Judge OLIVER GASCH, District of Columbia, Washington, D. C. This hearing was held in regard to an electronic eavesdropping device which had been placed in the residence of FRANK ROSENTHAL, North Miami, Florida, from July, 1964, through July, 1965.

The disclosure hearing dealt in particular with ten individuals who were charged with operating a dice game in the Amber Club, Washington, D. C., from December, 1961, until February, 1963. The ten defendants are listed below:

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JOSEPH F. NESLINE

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On July 5, 1967, Departmental Attorney [redacted] advised that U. S. District Judge OLIVER GASCH had on this date ruled in favor of the United States Government and denied the motions of the defendants that the indictment against the ten defendants should be dismissed in view of the invasion of the defendants' constitutional rights.

In regard to the above mentioned hearing, the following article appeared in the "Washington Star" newspaper, Washington, D. C., on June 30, 1967:

"JUSTICE, IN SWITCH, ADMITS BUGGING
IN NESLINE CASE

"By WILLIAM BASHAM
"Star Staff Writer

"The Justice Department has finally admitted that it eavesdropped on conversations involving gambler JOSEPH F. NESLINE, now charged with setting up a gambling club in the District.

"For the last two years, Justice Department attorneys have denied that any electronic eavesdropping was carried out in connection with the prosecution of NESLINE and 10 codefendants.

"An indictment returned in May 1965, charges them with operating an illegal gaming establishment known as the Amber Club in the 1400 block of Pennsylvania Avenue SE, between December 1961 and February 1963.

"Government attorneys broke their silence yesterday before U. S. District Judge OLIVER GASCH during a motion by the defendants to suppress evidence and finally dismiss charges.

"The judge heard an FBI investigative clerk admit that the agency had bugged the apartment of a man in Miami, Fla.

"Justice Department attorney BRIAN GETTINGS objected when attorney JOSEPH SITNIK asked the clerk who placed the bug in the home of a FRANK ROSENTHAL. 'We have conceded to the trespass, your honor,' the government lawyer told the judge. 'Who placed the device is not pertinent.'

"Tells of Monitoring

'RONALD G. THIXTON said he and several other clerks monitored conversations in the FBI's Miami field office. He said the bug was placed in the den of ROSENTHAL's apartment and that NESLINE had been monitored during the surveillance that took place between August 1964 and July 1965.

"In previous motions affecting NESLINE's indictment, defense attorneys asked for FBI logs showing any recorded conversations involving NESLINE or the other defendants. Despite repeated denials by the Justice Department that the logs existed, defense lawyers renewed the motion several times--the last one this month.

'GETTINGS, asked to explain the department's previous denials that it possessed recorded conversations, said the surveillance in this case predated the government's new policy to ascertain how bugged information affects pending cases. He added that at the time of the Miami bugging, Justice attorneys were not in a good position to obtain specific information on buggings carried out by the FBI.

"After listening to the government attorney explain the policy, GASCH remarked: 'Policy is one thing, and truthfulness is another.'

"Yesterday, government attorneys produced the logs and the monitoring clerks who took part in the operation in Miami. ROSENTHAL was not identified further by either Justice or defense attorneys.

"But, to emphasize their point that the FBI could have picked up information critically affecting NESLINE's case, defense attorneys called Miss ROBERTA FEINER,,ROSENTHAL's ex-wife. She testified that during the period 1964-65, NESLINE and his wife visited the ROSENTHAL apartment in Miami 'hundreds of times.'

"Miss FEINER said NESLINE discussed his indictment and the fact that he had hired counsel while visiting in their home--a period during which the Justice Department admitted the apartment was bugged.

"With NESLINE looking on from a seat in the courtroom, a battery of defense attorneys asked THIXTON if he had overheard any conversations concerning 'JABBER,' 'OLD BOY,' 'POSSUM' or 'SPORTY'. These nicknames involve some of the figures mentioned in the Amber Club case.

"NESLINE and CHARLES (CHARLIE THE BLADE) TOURINE were acquitted last October of violating interstate gambling laws in connection with a gambling casion set up in St. Marys County, Md. in the summer of 1963.

"Justice Department attorneys have maintained that despite their admission that conversations were recorded, the results of the surveillance have not tainted the indictment.

"But defense lawyers countered that the surveillance continued after the indictment in May 1965 and said they want to find out whether any bugging might have been conducted to further support the government case or to pick up any discussions they might have had with their clients."

ASSOCIATE - SAUL SOKAL

On June 13, 1967, MM T-2 advised that SOKAL resides at the Beau Gardens Apartments, Apartment 318, 8000 West Drive, North Bay Village, Florida. According to source, SOKAL appears to be socially acquainted with "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL and aware of some of his activities. SOKAL recently advised source that ROSENTHAL had attended [redacted] b6 b7C b7D

Source advised that SOKAL's [redacted] is at the present time [redacted] on Miami Beach, Florida.

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On June 16, 1967, IC [redacted] checked the records of the Credit Bureau of Greater Miami regarding SAUL SOKAL. This report, dated April 22, 1966, reflected the following information:

Name	SAUL A. SOKAL
Address	8000 West Drive Apartment 318 North Bay Village Florida
Date of birth	11/20/19
Marital status	[redacted]
Present employer	Ed Morse Ford, used car salesman, two years
Former employer	Merrill Yarbrough, Inc., Sales Department, six years
Education	Attended high school in Brooklyn, New York
Military service	U. S. Air Force, no dates of service indicated
Credit	Good
Legal suits	None

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On June 15, 1967, IC [redacted] checked the records of the below named agencies with negative results regarding SAUL SOKAL:

Miami Beach Police Department
Dade County Public Safety Department
Miami Municipal Court
Miami Police Department

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date 6/22/67

The records of [redacted]

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The above records are confidential and can only be obtained through the issuance of a subpoena duces tecum. This subpoena should be directed to [redacted]

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On 6/20/67 at Miami, Florida File# Miami 92-726

by IC [redacted] /pap Date dictated 6/21/67

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INVESTIGATION RE BOMBINGS -
MIAMI AREA, JANUARY 24-
JUNE 16, 1967

The following bombings have occurred in the Miami, Florida area since January 24, 1967. Investigation reflects that the prime suspect in all of these bombings is FRANK ROSENTHAL.

The first bombing is directly related to the realtor who owns the townhouse residences in which ROSENTHAL lives, while the bombings in May and June, 1967, are directly linked to Multiple Sports News Service, which, in fact, is operated by subject.

Hamilton Realty Company
11805 Biscayne Boulevard
North Miami, Florida
January 24, 1967

Apartment residence of MICKEY ZION
7501 East Treasure Drive
Apartment 1-J
North Bay Village, Florida
May 30, 1967

American Epicure Market
1656 Alton Road
Miami Beach, Florida
May 31, 1967

Rand Cleaners
17612 Collins Avenue
North Miami Beach, Florida
June 1, 1967

Vehicle of MICKEY ZION
North Bay Village, Florida
June 2, 1967

Alfie's Sundries
1664 Alton Road
Miami Beach, Florida
June 16, 1967

IRVING ZION, also known as MICKEY ZION, FBI # 3 460 118; JACK RAND, also known as "CHAPPIE", FBI # 781 349 C, and ALFRED MART, also known as ALFIE MART, FBI #84506 D, are all former customers of Multiple Sports News Service.

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SAM WINER, also known as "Radio" WINER, was interviewed at the Bonfire Restaurant, 1700 79th Street Causeway. WINER was advised of the identity of the interviewing agent. He was further advised that he did not have to make any statement and that any statement he did make could be used against him in a court of law. He was further advised of his right to consult an attorney, and the fact that no threats, promises or inducements would be made during the course of the interview.

WINER advised that as an avid sports fan he bets locally with bookmakers on collegiate and professional football games. He also volunteered that on occasion he would place a bet on an important horse race. He indicated that it has been increasingly difficult in the last six months to place a sizeable wager in the Miami, Florida, area. WINER attributed this difficulty to the increasing pressure being vented by federal and local law enforcement agencies.

He volunteered that most of his recent betting has been with a Miami Beach bookmaker by the name MICKEY ZION. He indicated that the last time he attempted to place a wager with ZION was the morning prior to the running of the Belmont, which is run just outside of New York City. He stated that he was unsuccessful in placing this wager inasmuch as ZION's wife's automobile had been blown up the night before and allegedly he was temporarily out of the bookmaking business. WINER could give no explanation for the bombing except to state ZION is known to have owed money to various people.

WINER continued stating that he formerly used to place bets with JOHN "The Greek" PROKOS until he went out of business in July of 1966. He stated that JOHN was always known in the trade as a "standup guy" in that he always paid off his debts regularly and promptly. He stated that he had an occasion to talk to JOHN several weeks ago and found out that he was doing very well in his janitorial business.

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On 6/13/67 at North Bay Village, Florida File # Miami 162-327

by SA [redacted] vjl Date dictated 6/14/67

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WINER stated that he had the highest regard for JOHN PROIOS' bookmaking clerk, BILLY LEVITT. He did not know if LEVITT is presently conducting a bookmaking business but stated with authority that LEVITT was not a "mob type" guy.

WINER stated that it was common knowledge around the Miami Beach area that the recent bombing on Alton Road was not meant for the actual recipient of the bomb which was the American Epicure Market. The intended victim of this bombing was to have been Alfie's Sundries, which is operated by ALFIE MART. He reflected that MART is known as an old-time bookmaker and one that more times than not is heavily in debt. Other than the fact that money was probably involved in this incident, WINER could supply no particular names of individuals who might have done this bombing.

Reflecting on other disturbances in the Miami area in recent weeks, WINER stated that he knew JOHN BIKLE when he was one of the owners of the Peppermint Lounge. He could give no reason why BIKLE was killed. He stated that [redacted] was unknown to him although he had heard of his partner, [redacted] He volunteered that [redacted] automobile was found in the parking lot of his apartment residence. b6 b7C

WINER stated that on the previous evening MARTY KANE had been in the restaurant and had been reflecting over the recent Supreme Court decision prohibiting wire tapping by law enforcement agencies in the State of New York. According to WINER, KANE stated that this decision would cause a dismissal of charges pending against him in Dade County, Florida, based on evidence from a then legal wire tap in New York City.

At this point WINER volunteered that he still believes GIL BECKLEY is not a bookmaker in the true sense of the word. He stated that because of BECKLEY's nation-wide reputation as a handicapper and gambler, many individuals "followed" the betting advice of BECKLEY. He stated that BECKLEY moved tremendous sums of money around the country and was helped in this task by MARTY KANE and MARTY SKLAROFF. According to some things he had just heard, BECKLEY is now residing in New York City and is having a tough go.

WINER said that probably the most unpopular figure connected with gambling and bookmaking in the Miami area is FRANK "Lefty" ROSENTHAL. He ventured that if ROSENTHAL did not have all the "right" connections" he would be a victim of strong arm activities inasmuch as at one time or another he has double-crossed most everyone in the field. WINER stated that because of his Chicago connections, he is still running Multiple Sports News Service which is located on 79th Street in Miami.

WINER said that he has not seen JOSEPH NESLINE in more than six months and understands he is presently living outside of Washington, D.C. WINER had heard nothing of NESLINE's possible financial connection with [redacted] He further indicated b6 b7C that he has not seen NESLINE's close associate "JABBA" CORSI since around the first of the year. WINER stated that he doubts very much that CORSI would return to the Miami area because he owes a lot of people money.

WINER continued stating that he is a staunch booster of the new American League entry, the Miami Dolphins. He stated that not too many of the players have patronized his

restaurant and he seems to think this is probably due to the restrictions put on the players by the coaches. He stated that both [redacted] have spent some time at the restaurant but due to his misconduct [redacted] has been barred from his restaurant. He stated that most of the players were frequenting Julie's Pad located in the downtown Miami area.

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Commenting on the situation in the Bahamas, WINER stated that he is personally acquainted with the new Premier of the Bahamas, LYNDON PINDLING. He indicated that he first became acquainted with PINDLING through [redacted] at his restaurant. He stated that for several years [redacted] has used PINDLING as her lawyer. He stated that he and [redacted] went over to Nassau for PINDLING's inauguration. He stated that in recent weeks PINDLING has suffered from adverse publicity and he felt most of the remarks were being manufactured by the Bay Street Klan.

In conclusion WINER could furnish no pertinent information concerning the activities of ABIE BROWN, [redacted]

MART stated that sometime during the spring of 1963, a line service came to the Miami area under the name of Multiple Sports News Service (MSNS). This outfit was headed by FRANK "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL. He was assisted in this venture by STANLEY GREEN, who acted as a clerk and pick-up man. He indicated that MSNS disseminated line information on collegiate and professional football, professional baseball and collegiate and professional basketball. In addition, they would supply player information and up-to-date scores. The latter was possible in view of a Western Union sports sticker which was installed in the offices of MSNS. MART stated that he was assigned a code number in which he or his clerk could use in obtaining line information. The cost of this service varied from sport to sport though he feels that $50 was probably the average price he paid per week.

MART said that in addition to the line service, MSNS also published a weekly sports journal. This journal was put out on a weekly basis and consisted of the schedule for the coming week of sports activity whether it be football, baseball or basketball. As a service to MSNS, Alfies Sundries would sell the sheets on their stand for 35 cents although they paid 23 cents a copy from the publisher. Normally they would get 70 to 100 sheets a week for local dissemination.

In MART's opinion, MSNS did have mob or syndicate backing at the time they started in 1963. He indicated that no force was used in obtaining subscribers to their service but the word was out among the bookmaking fraternity that it was the thing to do. He feels that during the past year MSNS has lost their affiliation with the syndicate and now is operating independent of any organized authority.

MART said that during the current 1967 major league baseball season, he paid $50 a week for the line service. Normally the $50 would be paid in cash by one of his employees working at Alfies Sundries to STANLEY GREEN. GREEN's normal pick-up day was either Monday or Tuesday.

MART said that the baseball line during the current season was normally disseminated the first time around 11:30 a.m.

to noon. During the week of May 15, 1967, the line was coming out around 1 p.m. MART stated that he personally complained to GREEN about this late dissemination and GREEN told him that the delay was necessary in view of the fact that there were fewer customers taking the service. MART said that due to the late time of dissemination, he instructed his bookmaking clerk on May 19, 1967, not to call MSNS over the weekend for their line information.

On May 23 or May 24, 1967, STANLEY GREEN came to Alfies Sundries and demanded all the weekly sports journals that were in the rack. GREEN indicated that MSNS was going out of business as to both the dissemination of the line and the publication of their sports journals.

Several days after GREEN's visit to Alfies Sundries, FRANK ROSENTHAL came into the sundries and spoke personally with MART. In their conversation, MART told ROSENTHAL that he did not think it was right for MSNS to all of a sudden pull out their publications or in fact stop disseminating the line. MART also told ROSENTHAL that he was due a refund for services that had not been rendered. ROSENTHAL seemingly agreed and said he would consult STANLEY GREEN as to the amount of the refund.

MART stated that during the late evening hours of May 31, 1967, an explosion occurred at the back end of the American Epicure Market which is situated next door to Alfies Sundries. He stated that he was in the area at the time of the explosion and had seen no one in the area whom he considred a suspect. He did receive some information shortly after the explosion that one of the employees of the market considered himself to be an expert in the field of demolition. He was also aware of the fact that [redacted] had fired on May 29, 1967, a Negro employee who was very irate at [redacted] for this action. b6 b7C

MART stated that his bookmaking operation continued after the first bombing at the American Epicure Market.

He further related that after MSNS had withdrawn their sheets from Alfies Sundries, he started to print his own schedules. The first sheet was a xeroxed copy of that

put out by MSNS although he deleted the name of this service from the publication. He said that the first sheet was printed in a volume of 70 sheets. He stated that ROSENTHAL came into the store after his sheet came on the market, and he told him what he had done. MART said that he told ROSENTHAL that he was sure that his small publication of sheets would not in any way hinder the business of MSNS. MART stated the next two publications were similar in format to the sheet put out in Fort Worth, Texas. At the time of his first interest in publishing a sheet, he contacted ANGEL-KAPLAN for five of their sheets although his money was returned with a note indicating the impossibility of shipping sheets to the Miami, Florida area.

MART stated that on June 16, 1967, a severe explosion took place in Alfies Sundries. The main blast from the explosion occurred in the area of the telephone booths on the south side of the store. He indicated that he was not at the store at the time of the explosion although he appeared on the scene shortly after the occurrence. MART said it was obvious at this time that the previous bombing at the American Epicure Market was a mistake and was really meant for Alfies Sundries.

MART stated that he considers the prime suspect in the two bombings to be FRANK ROSENTHAL. He characterized this individual as a man with an uncontrollable temper and further, an individual that was very unpredictable and at times, irrational in his behavior. He reflected that ROSENTHAL might have thought he was putting out either a line of his own or in fact disseminating to potential customers of MSNS the line that had been given him. According to MART, if the latter were true, MSNS would of course lose a sizeable amount of money per week. He emphatically denied that he was either putting out a line or giving the line put out by MSNS to other bookmakers whether it be in the Miami, Florida area or out of state.

MART readily admitted friendship with one MICKEY ZION and stated that it was common knowledge that ZION was a prominent bookmaking figure in the Miami, Florida area. He said that he was personally aware of the fact that ZION and FRANK ROSENTHAL have had many arguments over the operation

Sex	Male
Date of birth	August 8, 1916
Place of birth	New York City, New York
Height	5'8"
Weight	180 pounds
Hair	Grey
Eyes	Brown
Marital Status	Married
Wife	[redacted]
Children	
Local residence	1211 100th Street Bay Harbor Island Miami Beach, Florida

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On June 27, 1967, MM T-3 advised SA WILLIAM F. HEIST that according to TOMMY ALTAMURA, "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL was responsible for the bombing of ALFIE MART's sundry store, as well as the automobile of MICKEY ZION. Source stated that these bombings were a result of hard feelings in connection with gambling matters. Source further stated that ALTAMURA was upset and disgusted over these bombings and indicated that they would only cause problems for everybody.

On June 20, 1967, MM T-4 advised SA WILLIAM F. HEIST that FRANK ROSENTHAL was responsible for the bombings that took place at ALFIE MART's and Rand Cleaners.

Source stated that according to his information ROSENTHAL caused these bombings after MART refused to subscribe to ROSENTHAL's sports information service. Source heard that MART obtained the "line" from another source and passed this information on to "CHAPPIE" RAND and others.

Source further advised that ROSENTHAL is also responsible for the bombing of the Hamilton Realty Agency. This bombing involved an argument that subject had with [redacted] Hamilton Realty, over the eviction of subject. In conclusion, source stated that the bombing of MICKEY ZION's automobile was also allegedly done by ROSENTHAL. This particular incident involved ZION's [redacted] law enforcement authorities. b6 b7C b7D

NEWSPAPER ARTICLES RE SUBJECT's INVOLVEMENT IN RECENT BOMBINGS, MIAMI, FLORIDA AREA

On June 27, 1967, an article captioned "LEFTY ROSENTHAL Subpoenaed In Bookie War Probe Here" appeared in the Miami News", Miami, Florida. This article is as follows:

"The Dade County Grand Jury has summoned convicted sports fixer FRANK (LEFTY) ROSENTHAL to testify in its investigation of a 'bookie war' involving terror bombings, The Miami News learned today.

"It was learned that a subpoena had been issued for ROSENTHAL, 37, of 2123 NE 122nd St., to appear before the Grand Jury later today.

"ROSENTHAL has been convicted of fixing a basketball game and has been arrested for interstate transmission of the betting 'line' carrying odds on baseball and football. He is the alleged operator of a 'sports service' providing the odds, police said.

"Several other persons were subpenaed, including three members of a prominent Miami Beach family -- LEONARD, HARRY and EDWARD THAL.

"The THALs operate the Epicure Market at 1656 Alton Rd., which was bombed 'by mistake' on the night of May 31.

"The blast, police said, obviously was meant for Alfies sundry store next door, which was bombed two weeks later. Five bombs have been planted in recent weeks, all with the same type timer and detonator. In each case, a bookie figure was the obvious target.

"Alfies is operated by ALFRED MART, a frequent subject of bookie raids. A car belonging to the wife of another bookie figure, MICKEY ZION, was bombed in North Bay Village. A dry cleaning place operated by JACK (CHAPPIE) RAND, was bombed on the North Dade strip.

"'We are going to keep the pressure up in these terror bombings and we are going to find out what's at the bottom of it and put a stop to it,' State Attorney RICHARD E. GERSTEIN said today.

"GERSTEIN is being assisted by JOSEPH C. DURANT and DAVID GOODHART of his staff and by the Grand Jury's special counsel, JOSEPH P. MANNERS.

"MANNERS pointed out that under the Florida statutes, the bombing of a public place -- such as a park, sports arena or city street is a capital offense -- with a possible death penalty -- even if no one is injured. He said the alley where the Epicure Market bomb was planted could be considered a public street.

"It is also a capital offense if a person is killed by a bomb in a non-public place -- such as the interior of Alfies, where two women nightclub entertainers had used the telephone shortly before a bomb destroyed a row of phone booths."

On June 28, 1967, the following article appeared in the "Miami Herald" newspaper, Miami, Florida:

"ROSENTHAL COOLS IT IN PROBE

"By JON NORDHEIMER
"Herald Staff Writer

"Gambler FRANK (LEFTY) ROSENTHAL, with an air to match his casual clothes, spent 90 minutes Tuesday with a Dade Grand Jury panel that wanted some answers to the terror bombings against Miami Beach bookies.

"Whether LEFTY, 37, could help shed light on the mystery attacks was information that remained secret with the jury.

"LEFTY, dressed in white and poker-faced as ever, didn't give any clues.

"Also called to testify was ROSENTHAL's Multiple Sports Service partner, SAM SOLOMON GREENE, more nervous and intense.

"They are proprietors of one of the nation's top gambling service news systems which, police figure, fits some way into the bombing attacks against three local bookies, ALFIE MART, CHAPPY RAND and MICKEY ZION.

"Since Multiple Sports supplies odds and results to sporting types, investigators thought ROSENTHAL and GREENE might have a line on the action.

"ROSENTHAL, once convicted of fixing a North Carolina basketball game and the subject of a Senate Rackets Committee inquiry, is no stranger to bombing probes.

"In January police questioned him in connection with the dynamite blast that ripped the office of a real estate agent who -- only a few days before -- had evicted LEFTY from a swank North Miami apartment house.

"LEFTY cooled his heels for 20 minutes outside the Grand Jury chambers before being admitted to testify. He was clearly irritated by a swarm of television and newspaper cameramen taking his picture.

"His disaffection even spread to a squealing two year-old boy who scampered under LEFTY's legs to escape a doting grandmother.

"'Isn't he a devil?' the grandmother asked.

"Unamused, LEFTY grunted and walked to the other side of the room."

On June 28, 1967, the following article appeared in the "Miami Beach Daily Sun", Miami Beach, Florida:

"GERSTEIN VOWS MORE PRESSURE
IN BOMBINGS

"By EDNA BUCHANAN

"'We think they know why they're being bombed,' State's Atty. RICHARD GERSTEIN declared today of the victims of scare-bombings which have aroused the Greater Miami area.

"'We're going to continue the pressure until such time as they're willing to tell the truth about the bombings.'

"GERSTEIN disclosed, too, that he has asked GEORGE WACKENHUT, head of the governor's vaunted 'war on crime', for any information he may have about the bombings. WACKENHUT, said GERSTEIN, will cooperate.

"Yesterday, eyebrows were raised when a witness called by the grand jury which is investigating the bombings turned out to be LEFTY ROSENTHAL, one of the operators of a service on betting.

"The Grand Jury operates in a veil of secrecy by state law, and nobody knows today whether any headway was made in the investigation during ROSENTHAL's 90 minutes in the jury room.

"ROSENTHAL has remained unrattled in the past in the face of such curious groups as the senate rackets committees and the Miami City Commission. ROSENTHAL's activities inspired the commission to pass an ordinance barring known gamblers from attending sports events in the Orange Bowl. The ordinance was later defeated in court.

"GERSTEIN would not reveal today whether ROSENTHAL was cooperative but did say a high-pressure investigation by his office will continue.

"The bombing victims -- under pressure to tell what they know about the background to the bombings -- are ALFIE MART, CHAPPY RAND and IRVING 'MICKEY' ZION.

"ROSENTHAL is no stranger to local authorities or to bombing investigations. He was questioned by police early this year after his eviction from a North Miami apartment was closely followed by a dynamite blast at his landlord's real estate office.

"Born in Chicago, the always-dapper ROSENTHAL celebrated his 38th birthday this month.

"ROSENTHAL and his wife, ROBERTA, started suit against the FBI charging embarrassment when the bureau tapped the ROSENTHAL's telephone when they were living in a North Bay Village apartment.

"ROSENTHAL, who gave his profession as gambler when arrested here in 1963, is now co-operator of a gambling service news system called Multiple Sports Service. His partner in the service, SAM SOLOMON GREENE, was also subpoenaed

"and appeared before the Grand Jury yesterday.

"The Grand Jury is off today. It will resume its work tomorrow.

"GERSTEIN said judgment has been reserved on possible contempt action against MART's 17-year-old son LOUIS who failed to respond to a subpoena. When the teenager was called last week, he didn't show up. His father's attorney appeared in his place.

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AT CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

MM T-5 and MM T-6 advised that no information has come to their attention indicating that FRANK ROSENTHAL has been in the Chicago, Illinois area subsequent to early February, 1967.

MM T-7 advised that there is no indication ROSENTHAL will be coming to Chicago in the near future as he is a very sick man who has a "triple ulcer".

On June 27, 1967, Sergeant [redacted] CIU, Chicago Police Department, advised he has received no information that ROSENTHAL has recently been in the Chicago area.

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SUBSCRIBERS TO TELEPHONE NUMBERS CALLED ON PRIOR OCCASIONS BY SUBJECT

CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

[redacted]	[redacted]
338-3000	First and First, 2300 West Peterson Avenue

[redacted] b6 b7C

WH 3-5000 The Carriage House, 215 East Chicago Avenue

BENSENVILLE, ILLINOIS

PO 6-7614 VICTOR SPILOTRO, 331 Miller Lane, Woodale, Illinois

BERWYN, ILLINOIS

ST 8-7753 FIORE BUCCIERI, 3004 Maple

OAK PARK, ILLINOIS

EU 3-6200 West Suburban Hospital, 518 North Austin

EU 3-7650 ANTHONY SPILOTRO, 1102 South Maple

SCHILLER PARK, ILLINOIS

678-4800 Sahara Inn, Mannheim Road (Now the Ramada Inn)

[redacted] CONTACTS b3

Prior investigation reflects that FRANK ROSENTHAL is [redacted]

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Date 7/11/67

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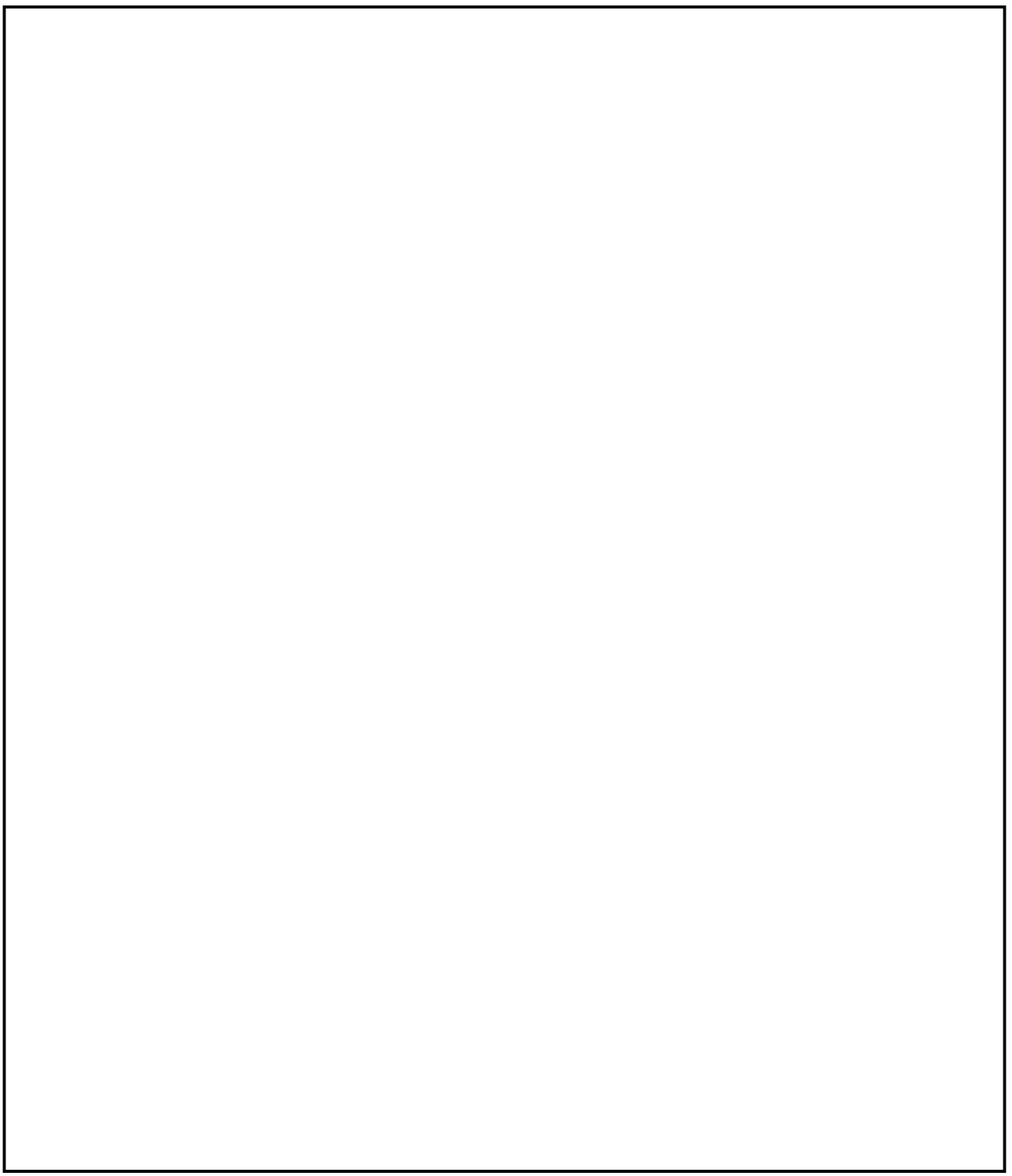

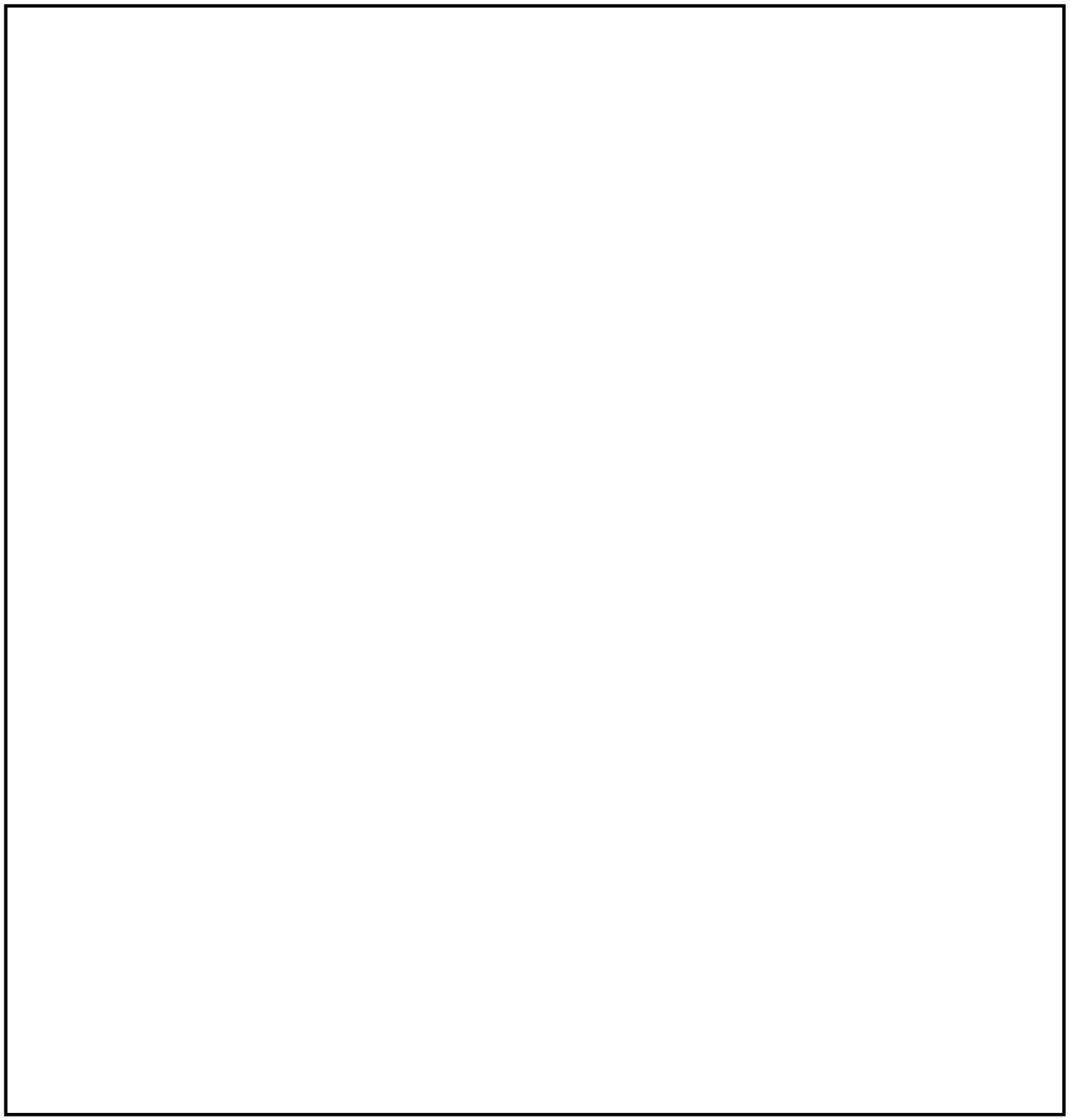

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Title FRANK LANG "LEFTY" ROSENTHAL

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Reference is made to report of Special Agent [redacted] dated b6
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The following is a characterization of the informants utilized in above-referenced report:

MM T-1 is an individual employed by the Prosecuting Officer of Dade County, Florida, as an investigator.

MM T-2 is an individual who comes into contact with certain members of the gambling and hoodlum element in the Miami, Florida area.

MM T-3 is a businessman and ex-convict associated with criminal element and gamblers in the Miami area.

MM T-4 is an individual familiar with gambling activities in the Miami area.

MM T-5 is an individual who is familiar with certain gambling and hoodlum activities in the Chicago, Illinois area.

MM T-6 is an individual who is familiar with certain gambling and hoodlum activities in the Chicago, Illinois area.

MM T-7 is an individual who is familiar with certain gambling and hoodlums in the Chicago, Illinois area.

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